

TO EXPAND WAR ORDERS TO THE WEST

Administration To Prevent Increased Volume of Orders in East

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Prevention of further increase in the volume of war orders and the number of establishments handling them in the area known as the congested manufacturing and transportation district was announced as a definite policy tonight by the war industries board, the fuel administration and the railroad administration.

Thru their control of war contracts fuel and transportation, these agencies of the government have taken steps designed to distribute new work over other sections of the country. Included in the congested district are New England, eastern and southern New York, Pennsylvania as far west as Altoona and Williamsport, New Jersey, Delaware and Eastern Maryland, not including Baltimore.

To check further industrial congestion in the already overburdened east the government has prescribed a district in which it will permit no increase in the volume of war orders nor in the number of plants handling them. This district includes New York, Eastern and Southern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania to Williamsport and Altoona, New Jersey, Delaware and Eastern Maryland, excluding Baltimore.

The new policy, announced tonight by the war industries board and fuel and railroad administration will tend to create expansion of industries in the middle west and south, altho the process is expected to be gradual as not to work any hardship on the eastern manufacturing area, nor cause unusual industrial booms elsewhere. The reason for the action which already has been put into effect to some degree is primarily the inability of the railroads to supply sufficient coal or to haul promptly all the manufactured products turned out by constantly growing industries. The shortage of labor in the east and in the congested districts of Atlantic ports were contributors.

Execution of the new policy will be largely in the hands of the war industries board, thru which passes most war contracts of the war and navy departments and shipping board and will be made effective by the allocating of new contracts whenever possible in Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Mississippi valley regions and the south. This does not mean that any industries in the restricted district are to be permitted.

Officials in charge of quantity production for the government point out that the demand for war materials is actually greater at present than the capacity of manufacturing plants and that consequently a continual expansion is in progress. It is this expansion, which the government hopes to promote in the less congested middle west and south and to prevent in the east. To some extent the execution of the policy will affect factories thruout the country.

The effect hoped for by the government is many fold. First, railroads of the east already working beyond their utmost capacity, will be aided to operate normally and the unsettled labor conditions both in the east and west are expected to be improved.

So war as the shipyards are concerned this situation cannot be improved much the new policy but the government hopes to minimize labor difficulties in other industries. More equal distribution of manufacturing will enable the shipping board and railroad administration better to carry out the policy of routing more expert shipments thru South Atlantic and gulf ports.

The railroad administration has worked out a system of routing increasing quantities of freight over less burdened trunk lines from the middle west to the seaboard and this economic reform would be aided, officials say by the location of industries in the less congested areas where more opportunity for option of route would be allowed.

STATEMENTS

Official Communications Issued By Belligerent Countries Regarding War Situation.

GERMAN

BERLIN, June 11.—via London.—The official report from headquarters tonight says: "The battle held southwest of Noyon renewed French counter-attacks failed with the heaviest losses for the enemy."

ENGLISH

LONDON, June 11.—Field Marshal Haig's report from the British front tonight says: "The number of prisoners captured by us in a successful operation carried out last night south of Morlaucourt is 298, including five officers."

"There is nothing further of special interest to report."

FRENCH

PARIS, June 11.—Several violent enemy attacks on Chevignout were repulsed, but the Germans gained footing in Machelmont and Bethancourt, which places are being bitterly disputed.

PARIS, June 11.—"American troops brilliantly carried Belleau wood this morning, taking 300 prisoners."

This announcement is made by the war office in its official report tonight.

Belleau wood lies in the Thierry sector just to the west of the village of Buresches and south of the village of Belleau. It is in this region that the American marines have been fighting so valiantly, and much praise was bestowed upon them for their drive of the Germans thru the Belleau wood which had been considered an almost impenetrable position by the Germans. Dispatches from the front on Monday said the marines had continued their progress in the wood until the Germans were holding only the northern fringe of it.

PARIS, June 11.—The French have struck the Germans a hard blow along a front of about seven and a half miles between Rubescourt and St. Maur, recapturing Belloy, Genlis wood and the heights between Courcelles and Mortemer.

The official announcement by the war office tonight of this gain says that the Germans suffered heavy losses and left more than a thousand prisoners and some guns in the hands of the French.

The text of the official statement follows:

"The battle continued today from Montdidier to the Oise. On the left our troops, supported by tanks, counter-attacked this afternoon along a front of twelve kilometers between Rubescourt and St. Maur and notwithstanding desperate resistance on the part of the enemy reached the southern approaches of Le Pretoy, captured the heights between Courcelles and Mortemer and carried our lines more than two kilometers to the east of Mayr."

"We have also retaken Belloy and Genlis wood and reached the southern outskirts of St. Maur."

"The enemy, who suffered heavy losses, left more than a thousand prisoners and several guns in our hands."

"In the center the Germans, who had succeeded in pushing forward to the south of Loge farm and Antheuil, were driven back beyond these two points by our troops, acting in concert with adjoining units."

"On the right the enemy increased his pressure, seeking to gain the Matz valley. Several violent attacks launched against Chevignout were repulsed."

"The enemy succeeded in gaining a foothold in Machelmont and Bethancourt, which were bitterly disputed."

"South of the Ourcq river the American troops this morning brilliantly captured Belleau wood and took 300 prisoners."

PLAN INSTALLMENT PAYMENT OF TAXES

New Revenue Bill Which Is Being Prepared Provides Such Scheme.

Washington, June 11.—"A new installment plan payment of war taxes will be provided for in the new revenue bill which the house way and means committee is preparing to draft, Chairman Kitchin disclosed this fact during today's hearing before the committee when Albert R. Palmer, of New York representing a large number of corporations, urged that such provision be made. Details of the scheme are yet to be worked out."

Mr. Palmer advocated tax on gross sales which he said would be less felt than the tax on war profits. He opposed a tax on stock dividends, contending that exemption from taxes should not be based on capital because of the widely varying revenues of companies operating along the same lines. He argued for a tax on gross incomes which could be passed along easily to the consumer.

MAJOR BROOKS FATALLY INJURED.

Belleville, Ill., June 11.—Lieutenant R. Randall of New York City was instantly killed and Major Brooks, commanding officer at Scott Field, six miles southeast of here, was fatally injured tonight when an airplane in which they were circling above the field fell 400 feet.

NAVAL BATTLE

PLANNED BY THE GERMANS

Germany Plans To Support Land Offensive With Fleet

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Further evidence that Germany, in its efforts to end the war this summer, is planning to support its land offensive by sending its combined British and American grand fleet, is given in an official despatch from Switzerland.

"A telegram of an official nature," says the despatch, "is being spread broadcast in Germany, which says that the German admiralty is considering a big naval offensive. Orders are supposed to have been given to keep the whole fleet in readiness and a certain number of naval officers of high rank have been hurriedly recalled from Switzerland and other neutral countries where they have been spending their leave."

"The Kieler Zeitung, speaks of extraordinary activity in the ports and the Hamburg Post publishes an interview with von Tirpitz, who said that after the German land forces have pushed the French and English back on the other side of Paris, it would be the turn of the Kaiser's boats to drive the English off the high seas."

Both in Washington and in the allied capitals a German sea offensive on a grand scale long has been regarded as a possibility and the appearance of the teutonic fleet in the North Sea at any time would not be unexpected."

If the battle does come American naval forces will play their part. American dreadnaughts under Rear Admiral Hugh Rodman joined the British fleet some time ago. American naval officials are no less anxious for a finish fight with the enemy than are the British. And in all allied quarters there is supreme confidence of the outcome. Once the two fleets come to grips, officials are certain that the Germans will be decisively defeated.

MEDICAL MEN ASK GORGAS BE RETAINED

Medical Association Asks President to Retain Surgeon General.

Chicago, June 11.—The house of delegates of the American Medical association today adopted a resolution urging President Wilson to retain Major General William C. Gorgas, as surgeon general of the United States despite the fact that he will reach the age for retirement under army regulations next October.

Another resolution adopted calls upon all members of the association to further the conduct of the war confining their prescribing to products owned and manufactured by loyal citizens of this country or of our allies whenever the interests of the patients permit.

Major General Gorgas in a statement issued today gave his unqualified approval of the proposal to give women doctors and surgeons engaged in war work the same military ranking as men medical officers.

Mrs. Martha H. Rockhill, in an address before the association said:

"At present the women who are giving their lives in the hospitals of France have nothing but the burden. No man can say it is right or fair that women should not be accorded equal rank with men for they are just as patriotic, their ideals just as high and their services just as valuable."

She called attention to the fact that 2,000 women physicians have already volunteered to serve in the army abroad.

The house of delegates will meet Thursday morning to elect officers for the ensuing year and select the next meeting place of the association.

Dr. Alexander Lambert of New York, medical director of the American Red Cross work in France and president of the New York state medical association is said to be slated for the next president.

Governor Frank O. Lowden, Illinois war executive, addressed the convention today.

REJECT APPEALS OF CONVICTED MEN

PARIS, June 11.—The council of revision has rejected the appeals of the men convicted of treason in connection with the Bonnet Rouge case.

On May 15, a court martial in Paris found seven men guilty of treason in connection with the German propaganda carried out by the Germanophile newspaper Bonnet Rouge. Of the men convicted M. Duval, who was director of the newspaper was sentenced to death and that six other defendants to terms of imprisonment from two to ten years.

OVERSEAS CASUALTIES

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, June 11.—The casualty list today contained 120 names today as follows:

Killed in action, 36; died of wounds, 3; died of accident and other causes, 3; died of disease, 7; wounded severely, 48; wounded, (degree undetermined), 4.

The list:

KILLED IN ACTION

Corporal Elmer B. Dommel, Lancaster, Pa.

Talmage W. Gerrald, Gallivants Ferry, Mo.

Mechanics Cecil C. Abels, Ravenwood, W. Va.

William A. Purcell, Philadelphia, Pa.

Privates James A. Burns, Wausau, Wis.

Leon Campbell, Athens, Pa.

Frank Caralunas, Tamaqua, Pa.

Cecil C. Craig, Phillips, Okla.

Paul F. Cross, Shelbyville, Ind.

Joe P. Prentzel, Canton, Ohio.

Charles B. Hackney, Knoxville, Tenn.

WOUNDED IN ACTION

(degree undetermined)

Sergeants Norman A. Allen, Omaha, Neb.

Harry M. Greene, Ayova, Ia.

Walter P. Jones, Sydney, Ia.

Edward C. Smith, Dutton, Ia.

Hamburg, Ia.

Herbert W. Pace, Corning, Ia.

Corporal Eli K. Dyer, 101 Fifth Avenue, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Otto A. Keck, Creston, Ia.

Edward C. Smith, Dutton, Ia.

Mechanic Gordon A. Moore, Knoxville, Ia.

DIED FROM WOUNDS RECEIVED

Sergeant Fred S. Murphy, Framingham, Mass.

Privates Dewey G. Burr, Bristolville, Ohio.

Barnard Hurst, Oldenburg, Ind.

DIED FROM DISEASE

Lieutenant Edward Hines, Jr., Chicago, Ill.

Corporal Arthur H. Kuoni, Ark City, Mo.

WOUNDED SEVERELY

Lieutenant Edmund Corby, New York City.

James J. Lawrence, Atlanta, Ga.

Corporal Donald E. Carey, Greenfield, Mass.

Harry Carter, St. Clair, Mich.

Arthur M. Claggett, Sullivan, Ind.

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FOREIGN DELEGATES SPEAK AT CONVENTION

Belgian Lieutenant Tells of Country's Appreciation of Help.

St. Paul, June 11.—Foreign delegates had their inning late today at the annual convention of the American Federation of Labor. Belgium's sacrifices, plans of rehabilitation and the earnest appreciation of America's help were clearly put forward by Lieutenant Henri De Man of the Belgian army and Prof. Albert Van Heke of the university of Louvain, both delegates to the convention.

American sympathy for the little war ridden country and the high regard in which her civilian and military population is held was the occasion for thunderous applause when the speakers had concluded.

Despite America's efforts to provide food Belgium is on the verge of starvation. Lieutenant Van Heke said. At present there are three quarters of a million Belgian workmen idle because they refuse to do war work for Germany. I can safely say that there is not a single pacifist in Belgium because most of our people have lived under German rule know what loss of the war would mean.

In reply President Samuel Gompers assured the foreign representatives that the federation would stand behind Belgium as well as other allied nations and that the American government would not stop until German military forces were swept from Belgium.

Objections by Socialists to the report of the American Labor Mission which distinguished Socialists from labor unionists uninvolved the earlier session.

MARINE CASUALTY LIST

WASHINGTON, June 11.—A marine corps casualty list of ten names was given out today. Seven men were killed in action and three died of wounds received in action.

The list follows:

Captain James McCoy, Fall River, Mass.

Gunnery Sergeant James Clair Wertz, Burnham, Pa.

Privates Frank Hamilton, Aniston, Ala.; Leon Wesley Hunt, Tyre, Mich.; Robert Bateman, Decatur, Plainville, Ohio; Henry Kirschner, Benardsville, N. J. Private John Mefolk Collins, address not identified.

Died From Wounds Received in Action.

Gunnery Sergeant Max Krause, Berlin, Wis.

Privates Victor Joseph Roska, Charleston, Mass.; Jerome Arthur Bierce, Spirit Lake, Idaho.

APPOINTED ASSISTANT TO SECRETARY OF WAR

Washington, June 11.—Dr. Ernest M. Hopkins, president of Dartmouth College, was appointed today assistant to the secretary of war, in charge of industrial relations.

MARINES ADVANCE

CAPTURING GUNS AND PRISONERS

Advance Their Position in Belleau Wood Near Chateau Thierry

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, June 11.—American troops northwest of Chateau Thierry this morning advanced their position in Belleau wood, capturing 250 prisoners and considerable war material, including a number of machine guns and trench mortars, General Pershing reported tonight in his daily communique.

It is in this section that the marines have been fighting for a number of days and it was assumed here that they were the troops referred to.

"Northwest of Chateau Thierry we were again successful in advancing our positions in Belleau wood. We captured 250 prisoners, of whom three were officers and considerable material including a number of machine guns and trench mortars. In the woods our batteries executed neutralization and harassing fire."

NO CHANGE IN POLICY DEALING WITH RUSSIA

Government Has Not Changed Its Policy Regarding Situation.

Washington, June 11.—There has been no change in the policy of the American government in dealing with the Russian situation. In spite of recurring rumors that military action in Siberia by the allies with American support or approval is imminent, it was learned today that no agreement has been reached on any feasible plan for positive action in regard to Russia.

The official view here is that this attitude must remain unchanged until there is some further development of great importance in Russia.

An authoritative explanation was given today after the Russian embassy had transmitted to the state department an appeal to the United States and the allies to send an expeditionary force to Russia to repel the Germans, forwarded by the central committee of the cadet party. The committee which speaks for the democratic forces asked that such an expedition be under international control, to guarantee the rights of its country. Recent developments not only in old Russia but in the Ukraine and in Siberia and a growing spirit of unrest in China and Japan, with increasing pressure in the capitals of the entente powers have sort of concern for the Soviet government have been overlooked by officials here and the developments of each day are being studied with the closest attention.

It is evident that the Bolshevik government is now meeting with strong opposition not only from the old conservative elements in Russia but also from certain powerful factions just as inimical to the restoration of the empire as the most pronounced reds. Of these the moderate or constitutionalists are understood to be the most in evidence, for the reasons that they embody in their principles the moderate views which are calculated to appeal most strongly to the great mass of the Russian peasantry and to a considerable portion of the workingmen who are slowly reacting from the extreme ideas of license and impossible social and economic conditions which they accepted without question in the first days of the revolution against the Kerensky regime.

In the Ukraine technically separated from Russia by the Brest-Litovsk treaty the people are loathe completely to break off the old ties and there is a distinct reaction against the German dictatorship. The Cossacks are reported to be ready to overturn the new government by revolution if not restrained by the German army.

SHERIFF TESTIFIES IN I. W. W. TRIAL

Testifies He Joined I. W. W.'s To Learn Their Attitude Toward Strike.

Chicago, June 11.—Testimony regarding the I. W. W. opposition in the state of Washington to the war was given today in the trial of 110 members of the organization charged with violation of the espionage law. J. A. McBride, deputy sheriff, at Aberdeen, Wash., testified that he had joined the I. W. W. so he could learn their attitude toward the strike that was on in the Puget Sound lumber camps.

Describing a speech by a man named Amey, McBride declared he said:

"Do all in your power to defeat conscription."

The witness said that a man named Mohl declared:

"Do not allow the United States to send food to the allies for that will prolong the war five years."

TO MAKE DECLARATION OF WAR AIMS

LONDON, June 11.—A discussion is taking place between the German government and the high army command regarding a declaration of war aims which the German government will make in the near future, according to a dispatch received from the Central News from Amsterdam quoting advice reaching Holland from Berlin.

PROTESTS THOMPSON'S VISIT.

Champaign, Ill., June 11.—The Rotary Club of this city today adopted resolutions of emphatic protest to the proposed visit of William Hall Thompson, mayor of Chicago, to Champaign during a proposed statewide speaking tour. The resolutions severely criticized Mayor Thompson for his attitude on the war.

WAR SUMMARY

News of Activities On Various Battle Fronts in Summarized Form By Associated Press.

The third day of the German offensive on the front between Montdidier and Noyon saw the Germans still making progress from the center of the line eastward of the Oise river, but being held back in their attempt to find their positions southeast of Montdidier in alignment. Everywhere they were continuing to pay an exorbitant price for the gains they made.

Having reached the Oise in the region of Ribecourt the enemy, if he purposes to try to fight his way along the west bank of the stream, soon must emerge in force upon the low lands bearing the waterway, where the troops of General Foch are said to be in strong array—both in men and guns—waiting to dispute the road to Paris. Altho nearly 300,000 men are being employed by the Germans in their efforts to open a way to the French capital their progress is slow when compared to that on other days. Numerous divisions of the attacking troops have been cut to pieces by the French gunners and forced to withdraw from the battle in which to fill the gap with fresh men.

Not an inch of ground has been given up without the exacting by the French of a terrible toll in men killed or wounded. And nowhere has the defending line been pierced.

The apex of the salient driven by the Germans is still in the center, south of the village of Marquigneuse. To the west of this point, the Germans at one time almost reached the Aronde river, but were driven back for considerable distances by the French in heavy counter-attacks. The French also are counter-attacking southwest of Noyon, according to the German official communication which says, however, that renewed efforts of the French to regain lost territory were repulsed with heavy losses.

The German war office claims the capture of 10,000 German prisoners which with the number of captives reported Monday would bring the total to 18,000 in the fighting.

Since the new offensive began along the Soissons-Rheims sector May 27 it is asserted by the German official communication that the army group of the German crown prince has taken about 85,000 allied troops captive.

Comparative quiet still prevails on the front between Soissons and Rheims, altho the Germans announce that northwest of Chateau Thierry, where the American marines, fighting side by side with the French have several times decisively defeated the enemy, the Germans have repulsed with heavy losses attacks which delivered against their front. In one of the most ambitious operations carried out in many days, Field Marshal Haig's troops in the Amiens sector have struck the Germans a hard blow. It was the Australians who carried out the maneuver and they succeeded in advancing their line a mile, over a mile and a half front and took nearly 300 prisoners, including five officers. In addition twenty-one machine guns and a trench mortar were captured.

On the Italian front there has been no infantry fighting of importance but the artilleries of both sides are keeping up mutual bombardments.

An Austro-Hungarian offensive, apparently is in the air. It is asserted that in Berlin the government and the high army command are discussing a declaration of war aims, while from Vienna come the news that the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister in an interview has reiterated that he still adheres to the policy of peace by understanding and that the dual monarchy seeks no annexations.

RUSSIAN MINISTER ARRIVES IN CANADA

A CANADIAN PORT, June 11.A. Konvaloff, Russian minister of commerce during the administration of Former Premier Kerensky, arrived here today from the Orient on his way to Washington, London and Paris.

He is making the trip, he said, in an endeavor to impress upon the United States and the allied governments the necessity of immediate intervention in Siberia to prevent the entire Russian nation from being dominated by central powers. Mr. Konvaloff hopes to meet President Wilson in Washington.

On his way to America Mr. Konvaloff said, he made a secret flight from the interior of Russia and twice was almost captured by Bolsheviks.

ATTEMPT TO DEFRAUD PRESIDENT WILSON

San Francisco, Cal., June 11.—Indictments charging them with attempting to defraud President Wilson thru representations that they were an accredited mission to this country from the nationalist party of India were returned today by a federal grand jury against three Hindus, three Americans and a Russian. Three of those indicted were women.

WEATHER AND TEMPERATURE

Illinois: Fair and cooler Wednesday and Thursday.

Temperatures	
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Tuesday were:	
Jacksonville, Ill.	82 97 6
Boston	62 64 2
New York	58 62 2
New Orleans	86 88 7
Chicago	82 86 5
Detroit	82 86 5
Omaha	80 81 7
Minneapolis	82 86 8
Helena	92 94 6
San Francisco	66 72 6
Winnipeg	74 78 4
Jacksonville, Fla.	78 78 7

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It is a matter of record, it is stated specifically in the bond ordinance that if the people authorize the bonds at the election next Tuesday, the money raised from such bonds will be expended only under the joint supervision of the city council and members of the citizens committee. There can be no side-stepping from this record and the joint committee of officials and citizens is as representative as can be possibly named.

A MATTER OF MEMORY.

If you do not feel disposed to vote for the water proposition next Tuesday—if you are against it because you have been ordered to put in a sidewalk in front of your house, or oppose it because the repaving plan on your street does not meet with your approval—just turn back in memory a few months ago. In those happy days Morgan lake was dry; there was no water coming from Mauvaisterre creek and the north side wells were furnishing less than 500,000 gallons of water to a city with an average consumption of about 1,000,000; the State School for the Deaf was within 24 hours of closing; Jacksonville state hospital was in a most dangerous situation for days; the health of every person in Jacksonville was severely menaced all because Jacksonville had not sufficient water supply.

You have the chance to support a measure which will at reasonable cost provide an ample supply. Keep the memory green of those waterless, dangerous days. If your house or store building had caught on fire at that time it was a ten to one chance that it would be a total loss. Self-preservation of health, self-protection of property both demand that you vote in favor of the bond issue at the election next Tuesday.

A VISIBLE SUPPLY.

If the water bonds are authorized at the election next Tuesday and an immediate reservoir built, Jacksonville will not only have a supply but will be able to prove it. Many cities obtain their supply from wells and the prospective resident or the man who is considering location of an industry in such a city must take this matter of supply largely upon faith. True, he can see the pump cylinders slipping up and down and bringing up the water, but there is always a touch of uncertainty about the permanency of that supply. But show a man a great lake with its hundreds of millions of gallons of water in view and he has the visible proof of the claimed water supply.

MEETING NEW CONDITIONS.

There is more than one way of solving labor problems and that has been demonstrated by Charles Adkins, director of the department of agriculture of the state,

who recently had more than 200 sheep placed at the state fair grounds to do the clean up work for which men have previously been employed. Anybody who knows about sheep is fully aware that these animals will clean out brush and eat the grass on the fair grounds in a very fine way and in all probability there will be a profit to the state from the animals themselves. Mr. Adkins rightly thinks that he is performing a patriotic service too with this plan, because by having the sheep to do the clean up work he is releasing a number of men for useful service in locations other than at the state fair grounds. There is a shortage of labor on the farms, there is a shortage of labor in the factories and stores, but the ingenious methods of Americans and their patriotic instincts will certainly find ways to meet these conditions. All the crops are going to be harvested and all the work is going to be done, even the method and the means are somewhat new.

ILLINOIS COLLEGE TRUE TO TRADITIONS.

Illinois college has this week been engaged in the annual commencement exercises which will come to a climax today when diplomas will be awarded to a very large class. It is noteworthy, indeed, that this institution which has made such a large contribution to the fighting forces of the country, can graduate this year a class of such numbers. It is especially pleasing to the class members that several of their number who had topped their college work in order to enter the army service, are able to be here for commencement and accept diplomas at the college service flag, with its stars which number nearly 170, will furnish proof of the splendid patriotism which has actuated the present day students and alumni of the college.

In taking such an active part in the war activities of the day, Illinois college is indeed being true to its traditions, for it is a matter of proud history that Illinois students had such a large place in the war of the Rebellion. Not only did many of the students of those days enlist but a sentiment emanated from the college which breathed a fine loyalty and helped in a large way in crystallizing the sentiment beneficial to the union and to those who were fighting to save it.

In these later days President Rammelkamp has done large things for Illinois college in his organization work and in the finding of friends, and it is an outstanding fact that his very earnest patriotism, evidenced since the very beginning of the war, has had much to do with the general patriotic spirit which has dominated all Illinois college affairs. The institutions is indeed an honor to Jacksonville and to this state.

A CHANCE FOR REAL SERVICE.

There was no man in the company who heard E. C. Wolcott tell of the need for Y. M. C. A. workers but was most forcibly impressed with the great work that the Y. M. C. A. is doing overseas. Mr. Wolcott is both thoroughly interested and informed on this subject. It is indeed a condition which carries an appeal in which the Y. M. C. A. now finds itself—with ample funds, ample equipment and a great lack of men workers. The organization desires to take for overseas service and for cantonments here men of mature years and with worth while business experience. A reasonable allowance for the maintenance of the families of men who enter the work will be made and altogether the call to service is a strong patriotic appeal.

In this work there is a splendid opportunity for men who are anxious to render real service for the country in its time of need—men who have this desire but are beyond the draft age and too old for active military life. The testimony of men in the camps is so abundant that the excellence of this Y. M. C. A. work needs no commendation. It certainly is a fine picture to think of mature business men of the country getting into this army work and carrying it clear up to the trench lines, furnishing the young men who bear the brunt of the fighting the certain evidence that they not only have the support of men older in years but prove that these men are willing to share with them in the service just as far as possible.

LANE HAS THEM

Centennial flags 35c to \$3.50.

ADJUTANT GEN. ASKS CLASSIFICATION FACTS

Local Board Able to Send Telegram Station Information Previously Furnished to Correct Illinois Order to Furnish as Many Soldiers as New and Pennsylvania Combined.

The Morgan county local board was yesterday in receipt of a long telegram from the adjutant general asking for confirmation of the report previously given by the local board with reference to the number of men finally placed in Class 1. The adjutant general indicated that a number of local boards had evidently made errors, placing the figures too high, and as a result the provost marshal general had asked Illinois to furnish a larger number of men for the army camps than seemed to be justified by the state's fair and proportionate part. The local board made a careful re-inspection of all figures and records and it was found that the information set forth in the original telegram to the adjutant general was correct. Accordingly the following telegram was sent yesterday to the adjutant general:

F. S. Dickson,
Adjutant General,
Springfield, Ill.

Replying to your request for correct statement as to number of men in Class One, as of date April 27, we quote our telegram of April 30, which we have today verified:

"Five hundred and four white, forty-five colored in Class One physically examined and accepted for general military service. We have excluded from these figures the following Class One men: Delinquents, twenty-three white, eight colored. Emergency fleet, none. Held for limited military service only, thirty-three white, two colored. Remediable group B, two white. Inducted or called one hundred nineteen white, six colored, cases pending before district board, twenty nine white. Class One men not yet physically examined seventy white, five colored."

Owing to the method used by the district board, utterly disregarding recommendations of this local board, we have two hundred fifty farmers in Class One, who are urgently needed for the harvest.

The long telegram from the adjutant general which resulted in the reiteration of the figures as to the men here available for service was as given below. It is evident from a reading of the telegram that the adjutant general feels that the total figures previously given furnished an erroneous idea as to the number of men in the state in Class 1, and that therefore an injustice is being done to Illinois in the demand at the present time for a larger number of soldiers than is being furnished by the states of New York and Pennsylvania combined.

"On April 27 there was sent each local board in the state a telegram advising that it was of the utmost importance that the provost marshal general have expeditiously and accurately the information called for in the telegram of April 27 with reference to exact number of fighting men actually classified in Class One, physically examined and accepted for general military service. The telegram pointed out exactly what this report should include and what should be excluded from same. The telegram of April 27 is in your file. Please refer to it in connection with this present message. From the telegraphic replies of boards, information was made and forwarded to the provost marshal general. The importance of expedient and accuracy was due to the fact that in the change of quota basis of states from that of population to classification, the figures furnished by Washington based upon the reply to telegram of April 27 would constitute the call of future quotas upon Illinois. This information totaled 110,077 men remaining in Class One, examined for general military service, and has resulted in the allotment of a net quota in this state in excess of 79,000. This net quota based upon the information received by the adjutant general from local boards as of June 1 on the local call upon for more than both New York and Pennsylvania combined, both being more populous states. Report from the local boards as of June 1 on the number finally remaining in Class One examined physically and accepted for general military service is at wide variance with the telegraphic report covering same information used as a basis of transmittal to Washington.

The aggregate of the last named report being only 74,012 for the entire state. Your board as well as all the others are doubtless being hard pressed to find enough men in Class One to fill current quotas, and under the aggregate of figures submitted in reply to the telegram of April 27 this condition will increase because of the unusually high net quota remaining to be filled. "In order, therefore, to secure accurate information for the purpose of correcting a situation which must work a great hardship upon this date, I am sending you this telegram, fully explaining what has occurred, and am now asking your board to refer to our telegram of April 27 and to furnish by wire immediately the full information therein requested definitely and accurately as it was contained in your records of date April 27, 1918. This date is important. Question number one. The number of registrants finally classified in Class One and examined physically and accepted for general military service. In answering above question you will not include, delinquents, emergency fleet list, remedial Group B men inducted from your board since Dec. 15, 1917, and men called from your board who have been inducted or entrained. To all of these exclusions in answering

Local Food Price Bulletin

REVISED FOOD PRICES (Approved by Food Administration)

The following prices for foodstuffs in Jacksonville have been approved by the food administration. The prices are given which the retailer pays and which the consumer should pay:

Articles—	Retailer Pays	Consumer Should Pay
Bread, 1 pound.....	8c	9c to 10c
Bread, 1 1/2 pounds.....	12c	14c to 15c
Beans, navy.....	15c to 14c	15c to 18c
Butter, creamery.....	15c to 16c	18c to 20c
Butterine.....	43c to 45c	47c to 50c
American cheese, whole.....	28c to 31c	31c to 36c
American cheese, cut.....	24c to 27c	27c to 29c
Eggs.....	24c to 27c	35c to 40c
Flour, 1/2 barrel.....	30c to 32c	32c to 35c
Flour, 1/4 barrel.....	\$1.38 to \$1.48	\$1.45 to \$1.65

Articles—	Retailer Pays	Consumer Should Pay
Barley flour.....	6c to 6 1/2c	7c to 7 1/2c
Corn flour.....	6c to 6 1/2c	7c to 7 1/2c
Rice flour.....	10c to 10 1/2c	12c to 12 1/2c
Corn meal.....	5c to 6c	6c to 7c
Rolls oats.....	7c to 7 1/2c	8 1/2c to 9c
Rice.....	9c to 12c	12c to 15c
Buckwheat flour.....	7 1/2c to 7 3/4c	8c to 8 1/2c
Cracked hominy.....	6c to 6 1/2c	7 1/2c to 8c
Hominy grits.....	6c to 6 1/2c	7 1/2c to 8c
Potato flour.....	11 1/2c to 12c	13c to 15c
Lard.....	27c to 30c	30c to 35c
Lard compound.....	24c to 26c	26c to 32c
Bacon, 4 to 6 pounds, whole piece.....	44c to 48c	48c to 52c
Bacon, 8 to 10 pounds, whole.....	38c to 40c	41c to 45c
Whole hams.....	30c to 32c	33c to 37c
Milk, large.....	11c to 12c	14c to 15c
Milk, condensed.....	18c to 19c	20c to 23c
Corn syrup, dark, 10 pound cans.....	62c to 65c	74c to 80c
Corn syrup, dark, 5 pound cans.....	32c to 35c	40c to 44c
Corn syrup, dark, 1 1/2 pound cans.....	11c to 12c	14c to 15c
Corn syrup, white, 10 pound cans.....	70c to 75c	84c to 90c
Corn syrup, white, 5 pound cans.....	37c to 38c	45c to 48c
Corn syrup, white, 1 1/2 pound cans.....	12c to 13c	14c to 16c
Potatoes, by bag.....	\$2.50 @ 100	\$3.00 @ 100
15 pound lots.....	45c to 50c	45c to 50c
Salmon, Red Alaska, dozen.....	\$2.80 to \$3.00	27c to 33c
Prunes, 40-50.....	13c to 14c	16c to 18c
Prunes, 60-70.....	12c to 13c	15c to 17c
Sugar.....	\$8.10 to \$8.25	9c to 9 1/2c

question number one you will also apply the date of April 27. In reporting on question number one please report separately white and colored registrants.

For example: Registrants finally classified in Class One, physically examined and accepted for general military service, white 75, colored 19. Also in the matter of those indicated above in Class One as excluded under question one, please report the number so excluded in each group, and also advise the number in each group as to their color, white or black. If your district board have not completed Class One number unfinished cases in Class One. Please give also total number of Class One cases not yet examined physically. Local board or origin will include all registrants and local boards of transfer will not include any transfer cases.

The grave importance of receiving immediately by wire the accurate information requested in our telegram of April 27, and reiterated in this message, and my belief that each local board will instantly appreciate the gravity of this necessity combine to cause me to request your prompt and earnest compilation and transmission of these figures and that the information be transmitted exactly in the manner and within the several scopes clearly outlined. We must have this accurate information by wire at once in order that we may present the matter to Washington in an endeavor to rectify the burden placed upon Illinois by the figures previously submitted.

Frank J. Dickson,
Adjutant General.

The following letters received by the local board, are of general interest at this time:

Local Board, Morgan County, Weir, Chairman.

The letters below to the local exemption board explain themselves:

1. In response to a letter from this department concerning the wearing of selective service buttons by members of the medical and legal advisory boards, provost marshal general has ruled as follows:

"1. I have your letter of May 17 which, for some reason, has remained unanswered, concerning the wearing of the selective service button by members of the medical and legal advisory boards. Aside from the government appeal agents the present selective service button should not be worn by any but local board members."

"2. The question of recognition of the medical and legal advisory boards is having attention here and it is hoped soon to evolve some similar symbol of recognition as is extended to the local boards."

June C. Smith,
Major, Inf. U. S. R.
June 10, 1918.

To All Local and District Boards: Gentlemen:

The fiscal year ends June 30. All expenses incurred by your board from Nov. 20, 1917, to June 30, 1918, inclusive, must be on file at this office not later than that date (June 30).

No guarantee, whatever, can be made that any vouchers reaching this office after that date will be taken care of. No excuse for delays will be accepted by the department at Washington.

This request is very important and is being sent you in ample time for you to submit every bill of your board in proper form by June 30. Please do not blame this department when bills, received after the above mentioned date, are turned down.

Yours very truly,
Major June C. Smith,
Distributing Officer and Agent.

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Will Hold Reunion.

The Class of 1913, Illinois College will hold a reunion honor of the 15th anniversary tonight at 8:30 o'clock. Dinner will be served at the Dunlap Hotel and the members are anticipating an event of special pleasure.

SIGMA PI SOCIETY IN NOTABLE ANNIVERSARY

Famous Illinois College Organization Now Seventy-Five Years Old—Program at Reunion Had Distinct Patriotic Color—Letters From Soldiers.

The seventy-fifth anniversary of Sigma Pi society was very handsomely observed at the dinner given last night at the Peacock Inn. All the present day members of the society were present, together with a large representation of the past members. Hon. Richard Yates, class of 1880, was the toastmaster and the list of speakers included Ralph Baker, '20; Enley Moore, '68; Dr. C. H. Rammelkamp, H. J. Dunbaugh, '99; Capt. W. T. Harmon, '07. The anniversary committee which made the arrangements for the session last night, included Walter Bellatti, chairman; H. H. Baccroft, T. H. Buckthorpe, T. P. Carter, C. M. Capps, Enley Moore, Dr. W. L. Frank and B. G. Whisler, who is president of the society. Letters were read from the following members of the society who are in the army or navy service: F. K. Stewart, Camp Holabaird, Baltimore; G. B. Staley, Camp Dix; Edward M. Bullard, Boston; R. J. Reffler, Dover, N. J.; Edward J. Alexander, Steamship Manchuria; Henry H. Caldwell, Hamilton, Ont.; Forrest Steflin, Camp Hazcock, Pa.; Earl N. Eppler, flying cadet, San Antonio; Capt. C. R. Kirby, Ft. Sam Houston.

Letters were also read from the following members: A. C. DeMay, Newport, Idaho; J. E. Babb, Lewistown, Idaho; O. Douglas, Fairmont, Cal.; H. N. Kirby, New York City; Ralph W. Cook, Chicago; L. N. Wylder, Kansas City; W. F. Fayerweather, Kansas City; John F. Voight, Chicago; John O. Kehoe, Chicago; St. Rev. Theodore N. Morrison, Davenport, Ia.; Rev. George W. Harlan, Farmington, Mo.; Hon. William J. Bryan, Rev. Mr. Harlan is the only living charter member of the society and is 71 years of age. Special honors were paid by the assembly company to Capt. Harmon, Sergt. Foster and Sergt. Whisler. Among other visitors were John A. Barber, Springfield; A. O. Lindsey, Quincy.

Mr. Yates, as he has done on so many occasions, proved a most excellent toastmaster and the program was one of great excellence. After the serving of the dinner the following responses were made:

"Sigma Pi True to Traditions"—Ralph Baker, '20.

"Historical Sigma Pi"—Enley Moore, '68.

"Student Life at the Founding of Sigma Pi"—President C. H. Rammelkamp.

"The Founders' Fund"—H. J. Dunbaugh, '99.

"Sigma Pi in the Service"—Capt. W. T. Harmon, '07.

As Mr. Moore's toast he gave a history of the society now celebrating its diamond anniversary, his very interesting address is given in full elsewhere in this issue.

Social Events

Reception Given By Dr. and Mrs. Rammelkamp.

An informal reception for the senior class of Illinois College by President and Mrs. C. H. Rammelkamp drew a large company to their home on Illinois college campus Tuesday afternoon. The spacious rooms at the disposal of the guests were very prettily decorated with garden flowers. The refreshments served were in keeping with the occasion. Mrs. Rammelkamp was assisted by Mrs. W. T. Wilson, Mrs. P. C. Thompson, Mrs. Andrew Russell, Mrs. F. E. Farrell, Mrs. T. J. Pitzer, Mrs. Helen Avers Bullard, Mrs. W. G. Goebel, Mrs. Irvin Potter, Miss Isabel Smith and Miss Alice Capps. Members of the senior class received with President and Mrs. Rammelkamp and with them also were Mr. and Mrs. David W. Frackelton and Dr. A. P. Higley of Cleveland, O., and Rev. Percy Eppler of Indianapolis, Ind.

Sigma Phi Epsilon Love Feast.

The Sigma Phi Epsilon Love feast was held at the home of Miss Edna Hackett on West State street.

Honors Given to Fred Blum

The society rose to honor Fred Blum as he rose in khaki to speak and gave him a rousing welcome.

Judge Watkins gave a grand address referring to his two sons in the war, one in France the but 18 year old. He had been a follower of Ingelsoll but had discarded those teachings and had become a disciple of Christ and urged all to pray for the success of the allies.

Special honor was paid Ruth-erford, Newell and Nesbith, soon to don the khaki and they responded in a feeling manner. Nesbith told of the long list of honors taken by the Phi's.

Anniversary in 1920.

The meeting voted informally suggesting 1920 as the time for the next reunion as it will be the 75th anniversary.

S. W. Nichols spoke as a link between the past and the present. He had served in the Civil War and while unable to join the army now he was as zealous as ever for his country and his love for Phi Alpha was undimmed.

The meeting closed with three rousing cheers for the boys in khaki soon to be in the service.

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WAR SAVINGS STAMP MEETING TUESDAY.

A meeting in the interest of War Savings and Thrift stamps was held on the lawn at the home of Charles D. Irlam Tuesday evening. There was a good attendance and addresses were delivered by Rev. Wiley Oldham of Woodson and J. L. Wyatt of Murrayville. Judge W. E. Thomson solicited contributions for stamps and the amount sold totaled \$5,505. J. L. Wyatt is chairman of Murrayville precinct and has been doing splendid work. A meeting will be held at Pleasant Grove Thursday evening.

Dr. Kenniebrew's office

hours: 11 to 12 a. m.; 1:30 to 4 p. m. Evenings and Sundays by appointment.

D. D. Wiseman of Alton was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

ALL KINDS OF SUMMER DRESSES ON SALE AT HERMAN'S.

The programs of the evening were ornamented with a picture of the society room and a service flag in honor of Dr. Josephine Milligan, who is an honorary member of the society.

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CITY AND COUNTY

O. B. Miner of Carthage was a visitor with city people yesterday. Jesse Vedder was a city arrival on Nortonville yesterday. Alexander Stewart was up to

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—at—

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the city from Waverly yesterday. Wesley Cumbe of Lynnville had business in the city yesterday. R. Z. McCowan of Springfield was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

Jerry Hyde of Chambersburg made a business trip over to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Ford Sanderson and son Allen were city arrivals from Chapin yesterday.

John Spears of Springfield is enjoying a vacation with home friends.

Miss Mecca Yeck made a shopping trip from Concord to the city yesterday.

W. G. Pyle of Arenzville was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

F. D. Ayer made a trip down to the city from Springfield yesterday.

L. C. Watts made a business trip from Bloomington down to the city yesterday.

George Barrington of Peoria was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Charles L. Chester of Valparaiso, Ind., was calling on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chittick of Little Indian were added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Elmer Zahn of Arenzville was a visitor with some people in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John McMahon of White Hall was a transient guest in the city yesterday.

Miss Leonore Dahman of Concord is visiting Clifford Dahman of Winchester.

Mrs. Jerry Flynn of Buckhorn vicinity was a shopper with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mrs. L. P. Hoffman and Miss Grace have returned from a visit with friends in Quincy.

A. L. Hood of the Peacock Inn has been called to Monmouth by the death of a niece.

George Ervin of Pittsfield was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Gregg Tindall of the east part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Carl Woodall of the vicinity of Winchester was among the travelers to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griswold of White Hall helped swell the list of city callers yesterday.

William Hohman of Alexander helped swell the list of city callers yesterday.

Miss Edna Peters of Manchester was one of the shoppers with city merchants yesterday.

J. M. Frister of Springfield was a caller on some Jacksonville people yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevenson of Little Indian visited friends in the city yesterday.

Oliver Zahn of Arenzville was among the travelers to the city yesterday.

H. H. Huntsmeier of Joy Prairie was added to the list of city visitors yesterday.

Logan Black of the east part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Howard Zahn and two assistants have gone to St. Louis to bring home Buick cars.

Edward Mathews of the northeast part of the county was among the callers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Leach of the south part of the county was a city shopper yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. James of Danville were travelers to the city yesterday.

Samuel Ator and wife of the eastern part of the county, were city callers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Woodall were city arrivals from Winchester yesterday.

Mrs. Thomas Giller and daughter of White Hall were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Cade and little daughter were among the city arrivals from Murrayville yesterday.

Rev. C. R. Morrison of Chestnut is in the city enjoying the Sigma Pi reunion and the exercises at the college.

Mrs. Charles Mathews and son George of the east part of the county were city visitors yesterday.

Mrs. Dan Moy and children of the east part of the county were among the pilgrims to the city yesterday.

Sergeant John W. Larson, stationed at Camp Sheridan, near Montgomery, Ala., is expected home tomorrow for a furlough of ten days.

William Lucas, so well and fa-

vorably known in the city as a first class salesman, has secured a position with Myers Brothers, the Clothiers.

Professor William Lippincott of Manhattan, Kan., is enjoying a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lippincott and taking in commencement events.

Mr. Robert Meekins of Alton is visiting at her mother, Mrs. Jennie Clerihan on East Independence avenue.

William Lacey of Pearl and a graduate this year from the city high school, has been added to the force at the store of Andre & Andre.

Mrs. E. E. Grassly has been taken to Passavant hospital suffering with an attack of typhoid fever which all hope will be of short duration.

Mrs. William Barr Brown has issued invitations to a number of friends to an afternoon luncheon at 1 o'clock today at the Peacock Inn in honor of Miss Millicent Rowe.

Jacob Strawn and son-in-law, Charles Cox, motored down to the city from Peoria yesterday.

A good part of the way the country had been favored with rain but in this vicinity they found it quite dry.

Al Leach of the vicinity of the Mound was a visitor in the city yesterday. He is anxiously inquiring where he is going to get his help when harvest comes.

Miss Gladys Galloway, teacher at Meredosa and member of the class of 1916, Illinois college, is the guest of her friends, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Fairbank, during commencement.

Mrs. E. R. Keene of the east side Coover & Shreve drug store, has returned from a six weeks' vacation which she enjoyed in Minneapolis, St. Paul, Chicago and other places, winding up at Rock Island for a short time.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice at Jacksonville, Illinois, during the week ending June 11, 1918.

Arimble, Mrs. Malinda.

Barnes, Mrs. Belle.

Clements, Miss Edna.

Fordice, Mr. John.

Gaskin, Mrs. Mamie.

Gamlin, Mr. Mathew.

Grieser, Maxie M.

Hall, Mrs. A. H.

Hart, Miss Hannah.

Harney, Mrs. Wirt.

Horten, Mrs. A. G.

Johnson, Mrs. Alma M.

Kenney, Miss Nellie.

King, Miss Eloise.

Lamm, Mr. E. H.

Mathews, Ben C.

Maston, Miss Lydia.

Mayne, Mr. and Mrs. James.

Myers, Mrs. Rosa.

Nilner, Mrs. Mary.

O'Dwyer, The Misses.

Onsley, George W.

Perry, Miss Emma.

Peden, Mrs. Mary.

Roberts, Mrs. E. L.

Smith, Lulu.

Smith, Mr. Thos.

Treadwell, Mrs. Oren.

Walker, Walter B.

Wood, Miss Martha.

Patrons inquiring about these letters will please say advertised, give date of list, and pay one cent each postage due.

Ralph I. Dunlap, Postmaster.

Jacksonville lodge, No. 570.

A. F. and A. M., Will hold a stated meeting at 7:30 this evening for work. Visiting brethren welcome.

N. Kuykendall, W. M.

E. L. Kinney, Sec.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE

At the Colonial Inn fire Monday there were many valiant volunteer workers in addition to the few mentioned yesterday. There were several residents of the Inn who quite narrowly escaped injury.

Mrs. Stephen Dunlap with her sister, Mrs. Morton, were of this number. Both Mrs. Dunlap and her sister are past eighty years of age and are somewhat frail.

When they found that the building was doomed they began to gather together some of their belongings in removal. In some way Mrs. Morton and Mrs. Dunlap in confusion were separated and Mrs. Morton was found in the lower hall by Mrs. F. H. Rowe and Miss Millicent Rowe after a skylight had broken and the stairway down which she had just come was burning.

Mrs. Morton was about to return in a search for her sister when Mrs. Rowe and her daughter insisted that she leave the burning building and find safety in the yard. In the rooms above a little later Mrs. Dunlap was found by Rev. E. B. Landis and George Borum and with some difficulty they persuaded her to make her escape thru a window and down a ladder into the yard.

Mrs. Dunlap was looking for Mrs. Morton and insisted that she would not leave the rooms until she found her. Just then came the assurance that Mrs. Morton was in the yard below and then Mrs. Dunlap as flames were gathering about the room, consented to leave and she was literally carried down the ladder by Rev. Mr. Landis. Mrs. Dunlap and Mrs. Morton, who are now at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dunlap, are both suffering somewhat from the shock of their experience.

Especially attention is called to the patriotic address to be made by Serg. George Campbell of the 6th Canadian Field Gun Corps at Elks flag day exercises June 14th at 7:30 p. m. at the Christian church. You cannot afford to miss it. Twenty-two months at the front. Admission free.

E. E. Henderson, E. R. E. P. Alexander, Secy.

Mrs. David Davis of Litchfield was a visitor in the city yesterday.

WOMAN OF WEALTH

MARRY THIRD TIME

Mrs. Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt to Become Bride of Raymond T. Baker, Director of U. S. Mint—Simplicity to Be Keynote of Wedding.

New York, June 11.—When Mrs. Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt widow of the widely known young millionaire and sportsman who went down with the Lusitania, becomes the bride tomorrow of Raymond T. Baker, Director of the U. S. Mint, it will be the third time she has passed up the rose strewn path to the altar.

Since Margaret McKim-Vanderbilt burst into national society, as a girl not yet out of her teens, her career has comprised all the high light that one woman could possibly crowd into a comparatively short life.

As Miss Margaret Emerson, daughter of a wealthy drug manufacturer of Baltimore, the young woman who is to take her third plunge into matrimony tomorrow was popular among the younger set of Baltimore, Washington, New York and Newport.

She met her first husband, Dr. Smith Hollins McKim, a young physician of a prominent Baltimore family, when he accompanied the Emersons as guest, physician and surgeon to the party, on a yacht tour of the world.

Upon the return of the yacht to this country their engagement was announced. The Emerson-McKim wedding in December, 1902, was one of the events of the year in Baltimore, more than 1,500 persons of social prominence from all parts of the country attending.

In 1908 there came reports of their having separated, and Mrs. McKim went with her father to Reno in the latter part of October. The following August she received her divorce. On the same day it was reported in Newport that she would marry Mr. Vanderbilt, who some time before had been divorced by his first wife, who was Miss Elsie French.

These reports were denied at the time, and the denials were given substance by the departure of Mrs. McKim for Japan immediately after securing her divorce. After her return from Japan she lived in Reno for a while but in 1910, came to New York from Louisville and the gossip started up afresh. Both stayed at the Plaza here, and they were much in each other's company. The following May both were in London, and it was again reported that they were about to wed. In the following Fall, when both had returned to New York, there were again rumors of a wedding.

After all reports that had been circulated about them the gossips were caught napping when Mr. Vanderbilt and Mrs. McKim, on December 17, 1911, quietly slipped away from London and were married at Reigate in Surrey.

When Alfred G. Vanderbilt fell a victim to the German program of "ruthless warfare" in 1915, his death left his young widow with an immense fortune at her disposal. Mr. Vanderbilt had inherited the greater portion of the estate of his father, Cornelius Vanderbilt. When the will of the younger Vanderbilt was probated it was found that he had left an estate amounting to upwards of \$50,000,000. The will made provision for the widow by leaving her \$3,000,000 and the income of \$5,000,000 in trust, together with the Vanderbilt estates in Adirondacks, and Gloucester House in London. The bulk of the remainder of the vast estate was divided equally between the two infant sons by his second marriage. To William, Vanderbilt, his son by his first wife, Mr. Vanderbilt left a trust fund of \$5,000,000, and his country place near Newport.

Raymond T. Baker, who is to become the third husband of Mrs. Emerson-McKim-Vanderbilt is a resident of Nevada. He was made Director of the Mint by President Wilson about a year ago. Previously he had served several years as secretary of the American embassy at Petrograd.

The wedding is to take place at Hopewood, the country home of the bride-elect at Lenox, in the heart of the Berkshires. While simplicity will be the keynote of the wedding, it will be attended by a number of guests of high station in social and public life. Mr. Baker has selected Key Pittman, United States senator from Nevada to serve as his best man.

MANCHESTER

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCracken of Marion, Indiana, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McCracken. Mr. McCracken expects to enter the service soon.

Chester Brown and Du Bois Mount of St. Louis spent Sunday and Monday at the home of Mrs. Anna Caldwell.

Mrs. Wilbur Coultas and daughter Elizabeth have returned to the home of her father, E. L. Maine after a visit with relatives in Winchester.

Mrs. Mildred Alred and little son have returned to their home in Roadhouse after a visit with relatives here.

Charles Woodall made a business trip to St. Louis Monday.

Mrs. Neva Funk is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lois Mansfield and family near Nortonville.

Hazel Hayes, who has been seriously ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Chester Barber, was removed to a Jacksonville hospital Monday.

All German alien enemy females, fourteen years old or older are required to register between June 17 and June 26. Registration will be held at the post office.

Rev. C. W. Caseley of Winchester will deliver an address in the park Friday evening. The public is urged to attend.

PROCLAMATION.

The 14th day of June this year is the 138th anniversary of the adoption of our national flag. It is also the 21st year of the nation wide celebration of the day. Never in our country's history has there been a time when our flag meant so much to us, nor was there so great a need for the whole nation to join in a celebration in honor and love of our beautiful emblem.

"Your flag and my flag! and how it flies today!"

Thro' your land and my land, An half the world away.

Rose red and blood red, Its stripes forever gleam.

Snow white and soul white, The good fore-fathers' dream.

Sky blue and true blue, with stars to shine aright.

The gloried guardian of the day. A shelter thro' the night."

For years the celebration of this day was left largely to the D. A. R. and G. A. R. and other patriotic societies, but the stress of these war times calls for a community celebration in honor of our flag. May it draw us closer as members of one grand State and Nation. And to this end, I call upon all patriotic citizens to join in an observance of the day, and I ask all merchants and other men of business to close their stores and offices at five (5) o'clock in order that time may be given to attend the "Community Sing" on Illinois College Campus, arranged by the Rev. James Caldwell Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

H. J. RODGERS, Mayor.

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COMMENCEMENT VISITORS. Mr. and Mrs. David W. Frackleton of Cleveland, O., are Illinois college commencement visitors. Mr. Frackleton is a trustee of the college and is here particularly for the purpose of attending sessions of the board. For a number of years after his graduation from Illinois college Mr. Frackleton was in the banking and grain business at Petersburg and while he still has interests there, for the past six years he has been a resident of Cleveland. There he is vice president and treasurer of the Chandler-Price Printing Co., one of the

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GERMANS CLAIM 10,000 PRISONERS

In New Offensive Huns Take Prisoners Making Total of 75,000

Berlin, June 11.—Via London.—The number of prisoners taken by the Germans in the new offensive has increased by more than 10,000, making the aggregate of prisoners taken since May 27, about 75,000 says the German official communication issued today.

The communication adds that the Germans have repulsed with heavy losses, attacks northwest of Cateau Thierry, in which region American marines and French troops are opposed to them.

The text of the statement reads:

"Fighting activity which has been moderate thruout the day revived only on both sides of the Somme. Between the Ancre and the Somme, a local break thru by the enemy on the Corbie-Braye road was brought to a standstill by a counter-attack. On the rest of the front the attack broke down with sanguinary losses.

"During the two storming days the attack by the army of General von Hutier led to the intended results and put us in possession of the hilly district southwest of Noyon. The thrust was directed against the strongest position of the enemy who was deeply echeloned in preparation for the attack. In spite of this the French divisions could not withstand the impact of the shock of our troops.

"Division of the French army reserves, who were brought up for centralized counter-attacks, also were repulsed yesterday in bitter fighting.

"On the right wing of the attack the troops under General von Oetinger, maintained the lines which had been captured from the enemy south of Assainvillers against violent counter-attacks. The troops of General von Ebern are fighting in the neighborhood of Ourcelles and Mery. On both sides of the high road between Rove and Estrees, the Germans captured the ridge south of Mery, broke thru the fourth enemy position and threw him back on the Aronde river.

"In spite of the stubborn enemy defense the troops of General von Schoeler fought their way across the Matz and after storming the heights of Marquellise and Vignemont, pressed forward in an uninterrupted assault as far as Antheuil.

"In continuous fighting, General Hoffman's corps penetrated the enemy's position and engagements on the height south of Thiescourt. On the slopes running south to the Oise, we pressed forward as far as Ribecourt.

"The number of prisoners has increased by more than 10,000 thus raising the number of prisoners captured by the army group of the German crown prince since May 27 to about 75,000.

"On the front from the Oise to

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Probably no remedy has ever met such phenomenal success as has Nuxated Iron. It is conservatively estimated that over 100,000 people annually are taking it in this country alone. It has been highly endorsed and used by the United States Senators and Members of Congress; Physicians who have been connected with well known hospitals have prescribed and recommended it. Mon-sieur Nannini, a prominent Clermont physician, recommends it to all. Dr. Kerr, of Chicago, says it ought to be in every hospital and prescribed to every physician. Dr. A. J. Newman, late Police Surgeon of the City of Chicago, and former House Surgeon Jefferson Park Hospital, Chicago, says Nuxated Iron has proven thru his own tests of it, that it is a powerful blood builder, used for creating red blood, building up the nerves, strengthening the muscles and correcting digestive disorders.

Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly physician of Bellevue Hospital (the Outdoor dept.), New York, and Westchester County Hospital, says there are thousands of men and women who need a strong and blood builder but do not know what to take. In his opinion there is nothing better than organic iron—Nuxated Iron—for enriching the blood and helping to increase the strength and endurance of men and women who are up to the strenuous strain of the great business competition of the day. If you are not strong or well, you owe it to yourself to make the following test. See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of Nuxated Iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see how much you have gained. Manufacturers note Nuxated Iron which has been used by former members of the United States Senate and House of Representatives, and other prominent people with such surprising results, and which is prescribed and recommended above to physicians is not a secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products, it is easily assimilated, does not injure the teeth, makes black stool upon the stomach. The manufacturers guarantee successful and entirely satisfactory results to every purchaser or they will refund your money. It is dispensed by all good druggists.

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Pinto Beans special until Saturday at 13c lb.

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DIFFICULT JOURNEY FOR RED CROSS MISSION

Hardships of Railway Travel in Disorganized Russia Brought Home to Members of American Mission to Rumania—Food Supply Gave Out.

London, June 11.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—The hardships of railway travel during the present disorganization in Russia were brought home repeatedly to the members of the American Red Cross Mission to Rumania on their journey from Jassy to Murmansk. The distance is about 2,500 miles but the Mission was nearly a month on the way, averaging less than 100 miles a day. Even after reaching Murmansk the Americans lived on their railway trains for two weeks while waiting for a boat.

Murmansk is 150 miles north of the Arctic Circle, and the cold during parts of the journey was severe. None of the railway cars had any heating arrangements. During the coldest weather many of the doctors and nurses remained in bed all day to keep warm.

American ingenuity made a brave effort to remedy the lack of heating arrangements by building small stoves of brick, stones and pieces of sheet iron. These stoves were built in the corridors or aisles of the cars and were fed with wood and charcoal picked up along the line. They were not very successful as heating appliances, but were occasionally useful for making hot coffee or tea.

The new order of things which the Bolsheviks have introduced into Russia was perpetually in evidence. Everywhere along the line the officers in charge of the train had to deal with the Russians who thought they had as good a right as anybody else to travel on it. Unbidden guests were always coming on board. At night they would often enter by way of the windows some merely looking for a ride, others in search of plunder. The Americans all slept with their revolvers under their pillows, ready to repel boarders.

At almost every railway station there were prolonged arguments and altercations. Excursion parties of Russian soldiers would express a desire to travel a few hundred yards with the mission, and the French soldiers who accompanied the mission would explain that it was impossible.

The disorganization of the railway system was well-nigh complete. There was no semblance of train dispatching. Once or twice a day a train going in the opposite direction would be encountered. In this case both trains would stop, pourparlers would ensue, and one train or the other would go back to the nearest siding.

The stations were badly kept and had generally become the headquarters of a sort of local Soviet which was anxious to impress its importance upon the passengers of every train. Waiting rooms and platforms were filled with soldiers, ex-soldiers, coolies and nondescripts.

The self-constituted authorities at each station were a perpetual nuisance. Every station-Soviet had to have the whole business of the mission explained to it, and the difficulties which immediately arose could only be solved by a plentiful distribution of roubles and cognac. The total amount of money distributed by the French officers in charge of the train during the four weeks' trip would easily have paid for the train twice over. The Americans wished to share this expense proportionately, but the French insisted on paying it all. The French also insisted on supplementing the Americans' food supplies.

The Bolsheviks everywhere showed a remarkable friendliness for the little group of Americans on board the train. "The French belong to the bourgeoisie, but the Americans are just as good Bolsheviks as we are," said one Soviet leader in an address of welcome at a tiny village station north of Moscow. Occasionally a Russian who had been in America was encountered.

During the severe weather one of the French officers, Colonel Odene, fell ill with pneumonia and died in his berth a few days later. His body was taken off the train near Murmansk and buried beside the track. All the American and French officers, and deputations of British, Italian and Serbian military men from trains which immediately preceded the Franco-American train, attended the funeral service on the snow covered field. The grave was marked with a cross made from fir-tree boughs by members of the American delegation. Over the coffin, at Colonel Odene's request, were draped the flags of France, the United States and the other Allies.

At Volozda the train halted for nearly a day, and the Americans paid a visit to the American Embassy, which consisted of three railway cars drawn up on a siding near the station. The American Ambassador had a private car of Pullman type, a dining car, and a first-class sleeper.

From Volozda to Murmansk the train dragged its way warily and hesitatingly. This line is a new railway, every mile constructed of American material, but laid rather hastily and over frozen ground. For miles it skirts the White Sea, a vast expanse of solid ice as far as the eye can see. It was unpleasant to see, at frequent points along the line, vast quantities of American rolling-stock and railway material lying unused and gathering rust. At one station there were 64 locomotives, almost new, but dismantled and with various parts of the mechanism smashed or stolen. At

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AMERICAN AVIATORS DISTINGUISH SELVES

Yankees in French Army Bring Down Six Planes.

(By The Associated Press) Washington, June 11.—Details of exploits of American aviators in recent operations on the French front are given in an official despatch from France. "The American aviators in the French army," said the despatch, "have continued to distinguish themselves in the course of the last operations. The aviator, David E. Putnam of Brookline, brought down three enemy machines, and has been mentioned twice in the order of the day. The total of his victories amounts to six. Putnam has already received the military cross and has been promoted to Sergeant Aviator in the French army. He has not yet received his transfer into an American aviation unit. Lieutenant Stewell after a long fight brought down a German biplane. The aviators, Stanley and Veil, have each carried off a victory."

CALL 9000 LIMITED SERVICE MEN

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Nine thousand white draft registrants qualified for special limited military service were called for today by Provost-Marshal General Crowder. They will be put to work in the military aeronautics and the army and will be sent to Vancouver, Wash., to get out materials for airplane production.

GREEK SAILORS SEIZED?

Washington, June 11.—What officials characterized as a piece of German propaganda designed to create distrust of the United States in Greece reached the navy department today in a Wolf bureau statement that one thousand Greek sailors had been seized by Great Britain and sent to the United States to help man the American merchant fleet.

SEVEN MEN "BRAINS OF GERMAN ARMY"

Amsterdam, May 4.—The "brains of the German army," according to the local Anzeiger, consists of seven German officers, none of them of higher rank than colonel, and four of them who have risen from the ranks and belong to the "lower classes."

"It is the," says the newspaper, "who are at Ludendorff's elbow and are in charge of the western offensive. They are the inner High Command, being Ludendorff's personal and immediate war council."

Their names are given under the caption, "Men of Action." They are: Colonel von Merz, Lieutenant-Colonel Wetzel, Lieutenant-Colonel Bauer, Major Frahnert, Major von Bockelberg, Major von Hattow, Captain Gevecke. It is hinted that Wetzel is chief of the Intelligence Department. "Lieutenant-Colonel Bauer's forte is intuitive divination of Ludendorff's intentions," says the newspaper.

All of these seven men, it is said, have come to the front since the beginning of the present war. They are characterized as "men of untiring energy, drive, and capacity for quick decision."

EMERGENCY COURSE FOR COMMUNITY NURSES

Springfield, Ill., June 11.—Need for community nurses, brought about by war demands on the Red Cross and Social service developments in Illinois has resulted in a decision by the state department of public health and of public welfare, to establish a free two months emergency, post graduate course for community nurses. Only graduate registered nurses are eligible for the course.

Three weeks of the course will be devoted to practical instruction in Springfield, after which the nurses will be sent into communities where medical social work is carried on at a high state of efficiency. One week will be spent by the nurses in tuberculosis sanatoria or hospitals where intensive public health instruction will be given, and the final week will be filled with examinations, round table discussions and the rounding up of the course at Springfield.

ALUMNI FUND MEN MET

Directors of the alumni fund of Illinois college held a meeting at the Avers National Bank building Tuesday afternoon. W. T. Wilson presided thru the session. Other members present were: Walter A. Bellatti, secretary, R. I. Dunlap, of this city, and H. J. Dunbaugh of Chicago, and Roy McKown of Springfield. Various matters relating to the fund were discussed. Officers elected for the year were: Edward Capps, Chairman; Walter Bellatti, secretary; Ralph I. Dunlap, treasurer. Four directors were also chosen, James A. Meeks, Class of '89; Walter Bellatti, Class of '05; A. W. Baldwin, Class of '90 and C. J. Barber, Class of '01.

C. D. Kellenberg of Alton was numbered among the business visitors in the city yesterday. Robert E. Tehrune of Havana spent Tuesday in the city on business.

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM MERRITT

News Notes Telling of the Doings of Residents of Merritt and Vicinity.

Merritt, June 11.—Rev. Kirkpatrick of Jacksonville filled the pulpit here on Sunday evening. Mr. Edward Taylor of Concord spent a few days with L. E. Taylor and family.

Norman Campbell and Mrs. M. L. Coultas of Riggsport attended the funeral of Mr. Iven Wood of Pisgah last Friday.

Norman Taylor and sister and Miss Mary Ward of Exeter enjoyed a day's outing at Smith lake last Saturday.

A. F. Morris and family was calling on friends in the Riggsport neighborhood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Joe Peters called on home folks Sunday.

The band furnished music for the flag raising at Exeter last Thursday evening.

J. H. Hawk and family called on J. L. Gillham Sunday afternoon.

Norman Campbell made a business trip to Roodhouse Saturday morning.

Mr. Richard Brockhouse and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oda Owens.

Mr. T. M. Hardwick returned home last week after having spent several days visiting with friends in Alton.

Mrs. A. J. Redshaw has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Callans of Astoria.

Quite a number of our citizens attended the flag raising at Exeter last Thursday evening.

Several of our farmer friends are taking care of their clover which is an excellent crop this year.

The following list of names are contributors to the second Red Cross War fund for Merritt precinct:

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Mrs. Elizabeth Wood Hard-wick 25.00
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Roy Adams	2.50
Wm. Hogan	2.00
Margaret Hogan	1.00
Mayme Hogan	1.00
Mrs. J. W. Moody	5.00
Austin Moody	1.00
Ruth Moody	1.00
Esther Moody	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brock-house	2.00
James Moody	5.00
Louisa Moody	5.00
Amy Moody	.50
Mr. and Mrs. John Parker	2.00
C. H. Scateney	2.25
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Baker	4.00
Bell Sibert	1.00
Ed Sibert	2.00
Joseph Lynch	3.00
Charles Lynch	3.00
Henry Boels	10.00
H. Dufelmeier	10.00
Wm. Hazenkamp	15.00
John Hurrebrink	15.00
Henry Hubert	25.00
Frank Hubert	2.00
Rose Tomhave	10.00
Claus Tomhave	15.00
J. Ebaugh	10.00
W. S. Ebaugh	10.00

IT'S TRUE

Maxwell cars went up \$80.00 March 1st but now when other cars advance from \$100 to \$200 we can save you money on a Maxwell car, for we will have no more advances this season.

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Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Koyne spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Ragan.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamel and son Harold visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Fligg of Lynville.
Those who spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Welsh were Mr. and Mrs. John Halligan and family from Strawn's Crossing, Mr. and Mrs. James Cosgriff, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Welsh and daughters Helen and Ida.
Those visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnhart Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnhart from Winchester, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hart from Harts, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Saffy, F. W. Story, J. N. Osborn from Murrayville.

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QUOR INJUNCTION CASE IS DISSOLVED

Ruling Made by Judge Jones Proceeding Relating to Douglas Hotel Building—Other Case Taken Under Adversement.

In the circuit court Tuesday Judge Jones heard the argument of the motion to dissolve the injunction issued against the Douglas hotel building. The Douglas hotel building, together with Henry Brown, Alonzo Mosely and Joseph Mosely, assistant attorney general, were named as defendants, with reference to the alleged sale of liquor. The Douglas hotel building, together with Henry Brown, Alonzo Mosely and Joseph Mosely, assistant attorney general, were named as defendants, with reference to the alleged sale of liquor. The Douglas hotel building, together with Henry Brown, Alonzo Mosely and Joseph Mosely, assistant attorney general, were named as defendants, with reference to the alleged sale of liquor.

Case Under Adversement. The court also heard the evidence in the injunction case against Thomas Hennes, Charles and Edward Conrad, who were accused of selling liquor. The Douglas hotel building, together with Henry Brown, Alonzo Mosely and Joseph Mosely, assistant attorney general, were named as defendants, with reference to the alleged sale of liquor. The Douglas hotel building, together with Henry Brown, Alonzo Mosely and Joseph Mosely, assistant attorney general, were named as defendants, with reference to the alleged sale of liquor.

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REGIMENTAL SPORTS FOSTERED IN ARMY

Various Contests Introduce Competitive Spirit into Military Routine and Inspire Men to Do Their Very Best in Times of Severe Stress.

Behind British Lines in France, June.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—Regimental sports are fostered in the British army in war times to introduce competitive spirit into the military routine and inspire the men to do their very best in times of severe stress.

As a correspondent came out on the parade ground, he found a number of soldiers in a corner of the square engaged in "tilting the bucket." This is merely the light relief of the afternoon. The mounted man tries to aim the pole which he carries so that it goes thru a certain hole in a certain piece of wood; the hope of the spectators is that he will miss it and receive the contents of a bucket of water on his head.

Another pastime is the alarm race. Four men are lying on the ground when a whistle blows. They jump up hastily, get on their boots, puttees, pack and full equipment and then fall at a certain mark. The first man on the mark, if properly dressed, wins the prize.

Other events are rapid loading and bayonet charging. The men go in for these by companies, four men to a company and he company with the best collective time wins. The bayonet race takes place over the bayonet-fighting course, in full pack and equipment. There are Germans to be run thru at every obstacle.

The entrenching race is interesting. Each squad of four men has its little allotment of earth. Armed only with an entrenching tool, they are allowed fifteen minutes to dig themselves in. Events of this sort introduce a holiday atmosphere into the ordinary workday life of the soldier in training. Interest is just as keen in the singing competition, when a nervous squad of ten men marches into the ring and gives, after one or two false starts, the results of a week's labored practice. The first squad representing Company "A" is content with "Love's Old Sweet Song." Company "B" comes in with linked arms, and break in to the latest vaudeville tune. Company "C" has been practicing the same song as "A" and is not well received. Then comes Company "D" with a regular cantata. The judges award the prize amid cheers from the assembled soldiers.

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FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of James M. Rogers will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the undertaking rooms of Williamson & Cody.



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ALARMING INCREASE OF INSANITY IN STATE

Past Ten Years Shows Approximate Increase of 33 Per Cent—Partly Attributed to Passage of Anti-Narcotic Drug Act.

Springfield, Ill., June 10.—Insanity in Illinois increased approximately 33 per cent during the past ten years, and if this rate is maintained in the future the number of those mentally unbalanced will jump from 18,000 to 25,000 within fifty years, according to statistics compiled by Col. Frank D. Whipp, fiscal supervisor of the Illinois department of public welfare and made public today. In 1909, when the ratio of increase remains the same both in general and insane population, Col. Whipp said, the number of insane in Illinois probably will be more than 300,000.

"In every decennial period in the past century, without a single exception," said Col. Whipp, "the percentage of increase of insanity has been greater than that of the general population." The apparent decrease in the number of insane admitted to Illinois state hospitals for the year just past, Col. Whipp attributed to the fact that after the passage of the Harrison anti-narcotic act, the hospitals for the insane cared for a number of drug addicts, and a number of feeble minded at the Lincoln state school and colony were declared insane and sent to state hospitals, thus abnormally increasing the admissions of insane during 1916. Comparing these admissions with the past year would make it appear that commitments were falling short in 1917.

Changed Social Conditions. "The decrease was caused in part," Col. Whipp stated, "by immigration being shut off during the war and also by important changes in social conditions such as the extension of dry territory in various parts of the state and a general 'clean up' of dives by municipal authorities." These ameliorating conditions, he said, might result in fewer insane in future years than his estimates on past figures indicate.

Discussing the cost of maintaining state hospitals, Col. Whipp said: "The operating expenses of our hospitals for the insane are now \$3,440,000 a year or approximately \$200 per capita a year. If it costs as much to take care of the insane in the future, the cost not including interest on investment, may be, in ten years \$4,800,000; in fifty years \$15,000,000 and in one hundred years, \$62,000,000.

"In addition to the operating expenses there will have to be building accommodations for the insane. Computing the cost, not counting the interest on the investment, at \$1,000 per bed, new institutions with a capacity of 2,000 each would cost approximately, in ten years 3 hospitals \$8,000,000; in fifty years, 12 hospitals, \$24,000,000; and in one hundred years, 28 hospitals, \$76,000,000.

Elimination of social diseases thru a state wide campaign was advocated by Col. Whipp as the most effective way to stop the spread of insanity. "An Economic Proposition." "We have been doing good work in our institutions," said Col. Whipp, "but under the present law and means at hand there is no adequate way to do preventive work outside of the institutions. It seems to me that it is an economic proposition that should have attention immediately. 'An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.' It is claimed that in many cases insanity is preventable and that the disease causing it can be controlled. A special drive ought to be made by the state to stamp out this social scourge."

War will bring an increasing number of mental cases for care by the state, Col. Whipp stated, despite the fact that Illinois hospitals already are overcrowded. He declared the number of feeble minded children was on the increase, and that this problem might largely be solved by the elimination of social diseases.

LICENSED TO MARRY.
Bernard Longman, Jacksonville; Wilhelmina Newhart, Jacksonville.

TUESDAY RECORD DAY FOR HEAT.

George H. Hall, United States weather observer at Alexander reported the maximum temperature Tuesday at 97 degrees. This was, with the exception of June 11, 1914, the hottest weather recorded on that date since Mr. Hall has been making observations which extends thru a period of a quarter of a century. The temperature June 11th, 1914 registered 98 degrees. Many people suffered from the heat Tuesday. There was a good breeze blowing during the day which greatly relieved conditions and so far as is known no prostrations were reported.

Faultless in fit, fast colors, fine qualities, madras or silk, Negligee Shirts are sold by FRANK BYRNES' S. W. Cor. Square.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bryant of Bethany, Mo., were calling on friends in the city yesterday.

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The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame back, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.25. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

75TH ANNIVERSARY OF SIGMA PI SOCIETY

By Ensley Moore

Vergil's task, to "sing the arms and man," was easy. Mine, to sing the great, great story of Sigma Pi is greater, harder! Nor will time permit its fullest telling to-night; so but the slightest sketch can be given. For, in all the state of Illinois, Sigma Pi was the first and is the oldest, college literary society.

First College Society. Born in 1843, our shining example of literary, classic and philosophical development antedates the kindred organizations of Knox, in 1840, of Shurtleiff in 1848, and of McKendree in 1849. Illinois college was kind to Knox, it gave it Wm. S. Curtis, first as a president, and later furnished Newton Bateman—a founder of Sigma Pi—as its greatest president, and the maker of its greatest days.

Founders Made History. Bateman, first organizer of the greatest higher public school here, our west district, organizer of the public schools of Illinois during his superintendency of them from 1859 to 1873; Bateman, teacher, scholar, sage, recognized as such in America and in Europe. And then the roll of our founders: Thomas K. Beecher, preacher, philanthropist, of the great family of the greater Dr. Lyman. William E. Catlin, preacher, pioneer of Illinois and the far west.

William C. Goudy, greatest of Illinois' lawyers of his day, almost made chief justice of the United States.

George W. Harlan, last of them still living, preacher, pioneer of Illinois and Missouri.

Barbour Lewis—lawyer, officer in the Union army, member of congress from Tennessee, federal judge out west, hero of the fight against yellow fever in Memphis in 1874.

Henry M. Lyons, physician of Iowa, grand in his profession.

John B. Shaw, lawyer, editor, pioneer in Texas and school organizer in Illinois.

Joseph L. Thayer, translated to all knowledge almost before the society was born.

Charles H. Tillson, brightest of the brightest, called over in his earliest manhood.

John Tillson, scholar, editor, general in the Civil War, writer and politician.

Samuel Willard, M. A., M. D., surgeon in the War, L. D. D., author of high concepts, teacher for almost endless years.

Henry Wing, M. D., superintendent medical relief for Illinois in the Civil War, brightest of thinkers, best of men; giving us two sons among all the ablest of our members.

And William Ireland, who breathed out his life as a missionary, almost as soon as he had entered upon his work on the hot sands of the "Dark Continent."

Such are the names of the fourteen glorious, high-minded and intellectual men—workers for humanity—who founded our society.

The following is taken from the catalogue of 1873:

Story of Its Founding. "At one of the late annual reunions of the Sigma Pi society, President Sturtevant said, in response to a toast, that of several attempted literary societies in Illinois College, the Sigma Pi was the first that succeeded in maintaining an existence. He had watched with interest the various attempts, some of which had seemed quite promising, but all had ended in failure till this one came up. It had been in existence some time, he remembered, before he heard of it; and then it moved on so quietly for a long time that he heard but little of it, and knew not whether it would live or die. But its course was different from that of others, he knew not how; and at last, not only was its own continuance secure, but, as is usual in all colleges, it brought into existence a younger and rival association. From that time he had no longer doubted the permanence of the literary societies of Illinois college."

An early member of the society then present, in response to a subsequent toast, gave some facts in its early history, and told why it had succeeded when other failed; what element of power it had which they lacked. The following sketch of its origin will show the same:

In 1840, there entered college, at the same time, but in different classes, Samuel Willard and Henry Wing. Altho strangers, they became roommates and friends, and remained intimate associates afterward, when, rooming with members of their respective classes. Some new currents of thought prevailing at that time in the institution, the rooms of these two became the centers of the spontaneous conversational gatherings of members of the classes of '42, '43, '44, '45 and '46, wherein topics of literature, philosophy, theology and other grave matters of which students delight to talk were discussed. These gatherings were very pleasant to all who had a share in them.

There was at that time no students' society in college but the Debating or Philological Society, which was open to all. The two above named in common with several others, desired the formation of a literary society with other aims than the mere discussion of debatable subjects. Of the possibility of organizing and maintaining such a society they felt assured by the interest of the frequent gatherings of "friends in council" in their rooms; and in the winter of 1842-43 they determined to begin their effort. Before communicating their plans to any, they ascertained in conversation that the college authorities were not opposed to a student society. They then drew up a constitution. The first person to whom they presented their plans was William Henry Milburn, since known as "the blind

preacher", who was then a student in college and a frequent member of the conversational circles. They saw that Unity was the first requisite for success—not unity of opinion, but unity of interest. All previous societies had been formed in mass meetings of students; and who so chose entered the organization, which soon fell to pieces from the magnitude, and indifference of the membership; hence these two determined to adopt the opposite plan, begin with a few, and increase the numbers.

Devotion to Work First. Increase of numbers was not regarded so much as devotion to the literary and philosophic purposes of the organization. When its existence was no longer held secret, the society was too strong to be attacked, and membership was too much of an honor to be declined.

For some months no name was selected for the society. While this matter was under consideration, Lewis said in conversation with Willard that the objects of the society, which its name should suggest to its members, were to his mind these two: Union and Progress. Willard selected two corresponding Greek words, and presenting them with Lewis' suggestion at the next meeting, proposed that the society adopt as its motto the Hebrew sentence, from the history of the creation, in Genesis, "Let there be light," and this was adopted.

Thus was born and named the Sigma Pi society of Illinois college, to enter upon its career of progress in Union and for the spread of light. Its later history is spread upon its records, and dwells in the memories of the successive bearers of its standard, and of its worthy name."

A regiment of Sigs have marched down the trails of time, since those far-away days of 1843, and many have entered "that land, the silent land."

Today we hold the memory of those who have gone in loving remembrance, and we greet with loving thoughts still among living men.

But it is not for us now, in these few moments, to try to mention all of those living or gone before. We honor them, we remember them; their records are their best tribute.

These days of war, however, remind us of the terrible days of 1861-5, and we recall with pride, beyond expression, the hundreds of Sigs who wore the Blue, a few of whom still are present with us, and we honor most of all those who gave their lives for their country.

Patriotic Instincts.

As the Sigs then rushed to the colors of the Union, serving from general to private, in all the grades; so today the old society has sent its hustling volunteers, and ready servers into this struggle for all mankind. The society was almost broken up last year by the enlistment of seventeen out of twenty-nine present members, and another has enlisted this year.

Nor does this count the scores who have gone to the front out of our whole membership.

Not only have Sigs been on the front line of danger, when America called upon her sons, but in the equally necessary strife of political life in a Republic our members borne their part.

Foremost among these was Paul Selby, who only recently, comparatively, passed on.

The Blooming Pantograph of May 29, 1918, said: "Out of all this grew the Republican party of Illinois—victorious in 1856 and giving its part to 1860—above all giving Abraham Lincoln, and Freedom!"

Thus, too briefly, is reference made to our mighty ones who have gone.

The Sigma Pi Society has thus ever been seen in the van guard of religious, social and political progress.

The history of Illinois college and of Sigma Pi Society has been ever replete with thought, progress and leadership, and it is but fair to speak of those whom this society has given to Illinois and to our land.

I need not elaborate upon them, their names speak for them.

One is our splendid presiding officer of tonight, Gov. Richard Yates; and the other is that great leader of the Democratic party, William J. Bryan.

Mention must be made of that splendid upbuilder whom Sigma Pi gave to Illinois college, President Edward A. Tamm. So also of Major John W. Powell, the great explorer of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, and such business men as E. W. Blatchford of Chicago, the Straws, and the Ayers are not to be forgotten. Lippincott, Tillson, Springer and Brush, among our generals, and colonels, are to be held in honor.

I may not speak of the living, but from Maine to California—from Duluth to New Orleans—both living Sigs and those who have gone have honored the blue ribbon and aided mankind. Today, in New York and Idaho, in Maine and Colorado, Sigs carry our banner aloft and so "Our strong hand shall never be broken. Formed in Sigma Pi."

When you vote on the water question next Tuesday, remember that if Jacksonville does not at this time take steps to improve its water supply the state of Illinois will immediately proceed to install a plant for supplying the three state institutions here. That would mean a yearly loss of revenue of more than \$8,000 to the water department of Jacksonville.

G. ROY SCOTT IN NEW POSITION

Now Assistant Manager at Woodruff Inn, Joliet—Learned Business with Father, George W. Scott.

G. Roy Scott, formerly manager of the Hotel Douglas in this city was recently made assistant manager of the Woodruff Inn in Joliet, Woodruff Inn has about 300 rooms and is regarded as one of the best hotels in the state outside of Chicago.

A few weeks ago Mr. Scott was summoned to Joliet to assist temporarily in the hostelry. He gave such good satisfaction that he was offered and accepted the position of assistant manager.

Roy Scott was born and reared in Jacksonville. For a number of years he was a traveling salesman. He learned the hotel business under the tutelage of his father, George W. Scott secretary of the Pacific Hotel company who is one of the most popular hotel men in the middle west.

After serving as clerk in a number of hotels he was made manager of the Hotel Douglas when his father retired from the management. He is a member of the U. C. T. and T. P. A. and has held offices in both of the organizations and is deservedly popular with the traveling public. His many Jacksonville friends will be glad to learn of his preference and wish him success in his new position.

The Ayers National Bank

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MAY 11, 1918

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Loans and Discounts	\$1,995,517.33
Overdrafts	13,653.37
United States Bonds	200,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	7,500.00
Other Bonds and Securities	1,004,940.03
Furniture and Fixtures	11,000.00

Cash Resources

Cash and due from National and other Banks	\$712,043.95
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	193,953.30
Total	905,997.25

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	151,520.19
Circulating Notes	200,000.00
Deposits	3,537,087.79
Total	\$4,138,607.98

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SCOTT COUNTY MEN VOLUNTEER FOR SERVICE

Group of Men Will Enter Special Work in Accordance With Recent Calls—Red Cross Branch Organized at Exeter—Scott County News Notes.

Winchester, June 11.—A number of Scott county young men have recently enlisted for special courses in various lines of army work. A number will leave soon to enter the Rahe auto school at Kansas City, two will soon enter the military school at Valparaiso, Ind., and three will take the course at Bradley Polytechnic institute at Peoria. Those who will enter the Rahe auto school at Kansas City are:

Conrad Sundell, Glasgow.
L. A. Mehrhoff, Manchester.
Elmer C. Vortman, Exeter.
Clarence F. Morris, Exeter.
Oscar B. Mueller, Bluffs.
Cecil Tadlock, Alsey.
William H. Buckley, Winchester.

Harry Boston, Winchester.
Conrad Nortrop, Glasgow.
George Nortrop, Glasgow.
O. P. Fredeen, Bloomfield.
Harve Myers, Bloomfield.
Elmer Killibrew, Glasgow.

The men who will enter the military school at Valparaiso are:
Henry W. Somer, Bluffs.
Bernard Lovecamp, Bluffs.
The Bradley Polytechnic institute course will be taken by the following:
Bernard McGuire, Winchester.
John Howell, Naples.
Harvey McCool, Glasgow.

A number of Winchester people went to Exeter Tuesday evening to organize a Red Cross branch. Among those who made interesting talks were Mrs. J. C. Groat of Winchester and Mrs. E. D. Deird of Bluffs, who discussed the work of the women's division of the council of national defense. Mrs. George Burrus is chairman of the district. The following officers were named for the Red Cross:

President—Mrs. William Rodshaw.
Secretary—Mrs. Nellie Whitlock.
Treasurer—Mrs. Harry L. Day.

Those who went from Winchester were Mrs. J. C. Groat, Mrs. Nellie Lashmet, Miss F. Thelma Lyons, Miss Jessie O'Donnell, Mrs. Nellie Bean, Miss Bertha Hart, Miss Dottie McLaughlin, Fritz Haskell.

Mrs. Sarah Thomas is having her home extensively remodeled. Mrs. Rose Gasco returned Tuesday to her home in Virden after a visit with relatives here. Mrs. Arch Albers of St. Louis is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sprus.

Arthur Markille, wife and children, motored to Chambersburg Sunday to visit Mrs. Markille's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reynolds.

The increased insurance rates of Jacksonville, assessed during the past year because the city has no adequate water supply, are costing Jacksonville people far more than will be the amount of the tax assessed for the payment of the interest on the bonds and to refund them.

ASHLAND

Miss Mary Massey of Decatur spent the fore part of the week with relatives here.

Miss Bertha Berger has arrived home from the Columbia School of Expression of Chicago, where she has been attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Koontz and children of Atterberry are visiting here for a few days.

Mrs. George Kendall and Miss Mary Kendall were Springfield visitors Saturday.

Clen Mowery of Pleasant Plains spent Sunday here.

Miss Hattie Ferguson of Jarserville is here visiting for a few weeks.

Elmore Gaillet is visiting in St. Louis this week.

Mary Lee Elmore of Petersburg spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harsh returned to St. Louis Monday after several days visit with V. C. Elmore and family.

Before going to Akron Mr. Ayers spent several days in Chicago attending the 11th annual convention of the Illinois Abstractors' association. This association, which has existed for eleven years, has proved of great value to men throughout the country engaged in the important business of abstraction. At the annual meetings and discussions of general interest are discussed and the members never leave the convention meetings without having new ideas of benefit to them in the conduct of their own affairs. Mr. Ayers, who last year was a member of the executive committee, was elected vice president. As rotation of office is followed he will doubtless be chosen for the presidency next year. Henry G. Schrader of Belleville was named the president for this year.

BIRTH RECORD

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Erle H. Sutelliff, Tuesday morning at Passavant hospital, a nine pound son, Richard Earl.

Born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Schwulst, Gilman, Ill., a son, Carl Jr. Mrs. Schwulst was formerly Miss Cornelia Wiegand of this city.

Wanted—Girls for light work; must be over 16. Apply Superintendent Swift & Co.

H. B. MYERS DIES IN ALAMOSA COLORADO

Former Resident Passes Away Suddenly in Western Home—Was Prominent in Business Circles Here—Held High Offices in Traveling Men's Organizations.

Word was received in the city Tuesday by relatives and friends of the sudden death of Harry B. Myers at his home in Alamosa, Colo. No particulars were given of the cause of death.

Harry B. Myers was the son of John H. and Anna T. Myers and was born in this city February 1, 1867. He received his education in the public schools of the city and later engaged in business.

He was in the tobacco and cigar manufacturers business with Mr. George W. Scott under the firm name of Scott and Myers in the room in the Pacific hotel building now occupied by the cafe. This partnership continued during the years of 1885 and 1886.

Later he disposed of his interests to Mr. Scott and took a position on the Jacksonville & South-eastern railroad as fireman. He was promoted to the position of engineer but was compelled to give up his work on account of defective vision.

Mr. Myers then assumed a position as traveling salesman which he followed for a number of years. He gave up that work to engage in the confectionery business in Beardstown. After a few years he disposed of that business and again took up his work on the road.

After a number of years traveling he again retired from the road and opened a moving picture theater in Mt. Sterling which he conducted successfully for several years. Only recently he disposed of that and took up traveling.

Last December he gave up his work and went to Colorado for his health. He secured employment in Alamosa and has been a resident of that city since.

When the United Commercial Travelers and the Travelers Protective association were formed Mr. Myers came affiliated with them. He was prominent in the councils of both organizations and held high offices and important positions on committees at state sessions. He was a past grand of the state organization of the United Commercial Travelers and considered an authority on all knotty problems that came up for solution in the body.

In 1913 Mr. Myers was united in marriage to Miss Agnes Wakely who died within a year after the marriage. He was again married to Mrs. Alfred Doolittle in 1916. She survives him together with three sisters, Mrs. Albert Baldwin of Manitou, Colo., Mrs. Frank Young of Oskaloosa, Iowa, and Mrs. Herman Weber of Jacksonville.

Mr. Myers was a member of Beardstown Lodge of Elks and was with a man who held the high regard of all in this city which had been his home for so many years. An outstanding characteristic of Mr. Myers life was his devotion to his mother. For many years he made his home with her at the Myers homestead on East North street. He gave her every attention and care that a loving son could devise and her last years were years of happiness and content.

The remains will be brought here for burial. The time of the funeral has not yet been set.

Especially attention is called to the patriotic address to be made by Serg. George Campbell of the 6th Canadian Field Gun Corps at Elks flag day exercises June 14th at 7:30 p. m. at the Christian church. You cannot afford to miss it. Twenty-two months at the front. Admission free.

E. E. Henderson, E. R. E. P. Alexander, Secy.

RETURNS FROM TRIP

Walter Ayers has returned from Akron, Ohio, where he spent several days with his son, Allan Ayers, who is now directing the management of a large bank there. Akron has among its many other industries special development in the manufacture of automobile tires and the companies now are extremely busy and advertising everywhere for additional workers. One plant is employing 25,000 workers. Mr. Ayers brought with him his grandchildren, Mary Hamilton and Allan Ayers, for a month's visit.

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CLASS DAY EXERCISES HELD AT ILLINOIS

Senior Class Held Impressive Ceremonies—Class Largest to Enter College—Twenty Six Now With Colors

With humor and pathos were all mingled at the class day exercises of the seniors of Illinois College on the campus yesterday morning. Two members, Foster and Whistler were in khaki and the absent ones were duly remembered.

The program was full of humor and fun as is usual on such occasions and merriment prevailed but the minor key was touched when it was remembered that four years ago it was the largest class that had entered Illinois college and its ranks had been decimated by the awful conflict as the stars on the service flag showed.

Bryce Whistler presided and the numbers were given with a vim and manner which evoked much amusement and applause. A motion song introducing Serg. Whistler came first as the class stood on the platform and then Whistler announced the various numbers.

Rutherford read a humorous dialogue between a senior and junior in which jokes and puns abounded and then came a song entitled "Juniors, We Love You."

Giberson was to read the history of the class but a "telegram" announced his inability to be present. The presiding officer asked Dean Cochran for music but Dean had forgotten his fiddle, so next came a song, "Where the high brows grow" and that was followed by another.

The class prophecy was called for but the chair said it was in the Rig Veda and all who wanted to hear it might buy a copy. However the chair called on a number of the class to tell some of the future of their mates and a very humorous lot of prognostications followed.

Miss Ruth Badger then stepped forward and said in part. We gather here today in both happiness and sorrow. We are glad to be here and celebrate the occasion but when we think of the 26 members of our class who have enlisted in the cause of their country so reducing our numbers it makes one somewhat sad that we are proud to have such patriotic members.

Many in the Service.

This flag which I hold in my hands tells the story and it fills us with mingled feelings of pride and sadness when we remember that four years ago ours was the largest class ever to enter the college and note the absences. We are glad to have with us Serg. Whistler here and Foster and I am informed Mr. Blum is coming. And this is the list of the members of 1918 now in the service of the country: Sergeants Foster and Whistler, Glenn Ashbell, Joseph Beale, Fred Blum, Fred Bray, Joseph Chamberlain, Beecher Deming, H. Helme, Merle Jackson, P. LaRue, Paul Leurig, H. Paschall, James Reynolds, Henry Smith, George Staley, Paul Watkins, Fred Williams, W. Akers, Giberson, Huggins, J. Lukeman, Coveia, Russell Rendleman, John DeLess and Homer Bale.

To Dr. Hayden, our class officer, I consign this flag. He has been our class officer; our guide and leader and very present help in all times of trouble.

Dr. Hayden said in response. I am proud of several things in this life but of none more than this class. This was the largest class ever enrolled in the college and you see the pale and glimmering remnants; pale because of the fewness of the number; glimmering because where there is glimmering there is light and the college will feel an eclipse when you are gone.

Now I want to say a word for the men who did not enlist. Several of them tried to get into the service but physical reasons prevented them. Some were hardly of age and some are just on the eve of that time. All were urged to remain and complete the course so many like Whistler and Foster, with us today in khaki, have answered the call of their country and have donned the uniform and are doing them. The college and their friends, I admit, I have received a letter from Leurig which is very pleasant. At the supper recently at the president's house, Mrs. Rammekamp suggested that each write a slip to each of the men of the class in the service and the letter I have received is in answer to that expressing such heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the communications.

One thing I had intended to say graduation day but I will say it now. This class has always been a credit to the institution, to their instructors and themselves. As their class officer I have learned to love and esteem them in a peculiar manner and their success in life will ever be a source of pleasure to me.

The I's for the track team and basketball were then presented as follows: Temlinson both; Percy Smith, both; E. Wells, both; Shoemaker, track; Underwood, track; Bronson of Whipple Acad. Army were he present and not in service; Bryce Whistler, brother of the sergeant, track; Carl Hill, both; Cully, both; Harold Swain, track; Dunscomb, both.

The class then marched singing to the side of Sturtevant hall where the class ivy was duly planted. It was remarked that this custom had been omitted in years past but had been revived.

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DEATHS

Knollenberg.

Brief mention was made of the death of Henry H. Knollenberg in the Journal of Sunday morning, June 9.

Mr. Knollenberg was born in the Province of Hanover, Germany, April 27, 1831, the son of Rudolph and Margaret Knollenberg.

He left Germany with his parents when thirteen years of age. The family made the trip to the United States in a sailing vessel, arriving in New Orleans after a voyage of three months. After a short stay in New Orleans the family continued the journey to St. Louis by boat on the Mississippi river. At St. Louis he learned the cigar-makers' trade, serving full time as stripper and apprentice and finally receiving recognition as a cigar-maker. When he finished his trade Mr. Knollenberg came to Jacksonville and was employed by Benjamin and John Fryatt.

He remained here only a short time when he went to California. At the time of the great fire and flood in Sacramento in 1852, Mr. Knollenberg was a resident of that city.

After a short stay in California Mr. Knollenberg, decided to return to Jacksonville. The trip was made by steamer to New Orleans and stops also were made on the Isthmus of Panama and a more extended stop was made in Havana, on account of the steamer being disabled.

Returning here in 1858, Mr. Knollenberg formed a partnership with John H. Myers. A small room was rented where the Elliott State Bank now stands. The building was owned by War Governor Richard Yates. Later the firm occupied a room on North Main street and then moved back to a building that stood where the Coover & Shreve East Side Drug Store is now located. This partnership continued for twenty years.

More than thirty years ago Mr. Knollenberg erected the building at the corner of East State street and the public square which he occupied as a cigar factory and retail sales room for many years. The building was occupied by his sons, William E. and Charles R. Knollenberg, and later by Charles R. Knollenberg.

February 27, 1857 he was united in marriage to Miss Eliza Rotger. To this union ten children were born. His wife preceded him in death in 1905. Four sons have also died. Fred in 1864, Frank in 1896, John in 1916 and William E. in 1918.

He leaves the following children: Mrs. George Gerlach and Albert of Canadian, Texas; Mrs. Rolland Thompson of Monticello, Ill.; Charles R. Knollenberg; Mrs. Wilhelmina Cheek and Miss Mary Knollenberg of Jacksonville. He also leaves one sister, Mrs. Frank Peters of St. Louis, Mo.

Clark.

Marjorie Eloise Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clark, died at family home of Arcadia Tuesday afternoon at 10 o'clock after an illness of weeks. She was 4 years, 7 months and 21 days old at the time of her death. Funeral services will be held from the residence at 10 o'clock Thursday afternoon, charge of the Rev. F. M. Cre with burial in Arcadia cemetery.

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SIGNAL SCHOOL HOLDS INTERESTING SESSION

Last evening at the Me County Signal school the men enjoyed a splendid social and several good talks by members of the school. Eleven members were added last night. Mr. Wackerle is having the school. The nature of the evening was the giving of four service stars of service flag by Major Mott which represented the following members of the school: St. Davis, Fred Johnson, An Brown and Warren Recker. Following Major McDougall, Mr. calf gave an interesting talk regarding the water proposition of the city. This was followed by Mr. H. V. Stearns of St. Louis Woman's College.

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CAPT. HARMON IN CITY


Capt. W. T. Harmon is from Camp Grant to be with mother, Mrs. Catherine Harmon of 516 East College avenue attend Illinois college commencement events. Capt. Harmon speaking of the training at Camp Grant yesterday, said great deal of interest had added during recent weeks by presence of officers from the ish and French commission. Men from their actual experience in service at the front have value to give the men here valuable pointers. Like other officers at Camp Grant who passed thru a number of months of instructing others, Capt. mon is very anxious for se overseas.

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Miss Emma Scott of Normal, Mo. Mrs. Annie McKinney of Jacksonville spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Scott.

and daughters of Loomis, were guests at Scott Haven Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gibson and sister, Miss McNayr spent Wednesday in Springfield.

The following were selected as building committee for Durbin's new church building, Samuel Darley, John Rawlings, Leslie Cox, Richard Oxley, Mrs. David Rawlings and Miss Rhoda Scott.

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Received by Miss Ethel M. Anderson, 311 East College avenue, J. L. St. H., 1918, from William Schwing of American Ambulance Service in France, May 8th 1918.

Dear Miss Anderson:— I received your most welcome letter. I know exactly what house cleaning is like and when mother starts in, I usually find something to do elsewhere. I know you find the war literature very interesting, so I am going to write a little, later on in this letter.

I am sorry to hear about the conflagration you had at home, (fires, etc.) No doubt it was as you said, due to our "friend enemy" speaking of the wholesale grocery house. I was connected with Park and Tilden's of N. Y. No doubt you may have had some of their delicious sweets. It's almost a year now since I left them to enlist

and it hardly seems so. This is an answer to your question, no the serving part is not true, we have lots of veterans now.

The changing of time is a new novelty to you, I guess here it was changed in the early spring. I think it is a very good plan, don't you? You may not agree with me but never the less it is "tres bonne."

I will now tell of some of the things we have seen and been thru. We had several weeks of real hard work. The sector we were in was exceedingly active. We had a few bad posts, this we found out after a few days. One of them was, in fact all of them, were directly behind the first line. The boys in the trenches were safer than we were. We had to drive down the Main street and park our cars in a side street. Then in order to reach the post de secours, which was in the cellar or cave of one of the houses, we had to crawl along the houses to avoid the Boche machine gun fire. The fact being that we were in full sight of their lines.

We had not been at this post more than five hours when a shell broke near the cave and wounded two brandardiers, who happened to be outside at the time. This was the bombardment of the town. After some hours of incessant fire it ceased, as quickly as it began. Why? I do not know, maybe they were silenced.

We ventured out of the cave, to have a look at the cars, both of them had been hit, but were still in running order, we got them back, to our base with our load of blesses (wounded). We lost a few cars at this post after and as we had to carry on the work of this it was unavoidable. Another post was almost the place for a trip to the front, the camps you spoke about, but our boys drove them back, and those at the post made a successful getaway but there is no fear of a repetition, as the Boches are several miles away from there now. The roads leading to our posts were at all times under fire, shell and gas. A few of the boys got some tear gas on one of these roads, but after immediate attention they were on their cars a few hours later, I myself got a little of this mustard gas, but not enough to do any harm.

Two of our boys were hit by shrapnel and are now in the hospital. We have been in a short time. We certainly came thru in fine shape, none the worse for the wear and tear of our recent engagement. There was only one disadvantage we had to contend with and that was lack of sleep, we were compelled to work for four days at a stretch without sleep, except a "cat-nap" snatched during the lulls in the engagement. But now we are on repose or rest and we have already made up for our losses. We are "billeted" at a large farm. Our barracks is the grain room of a barn. It is nice and comfy with plenty of fresh air. In regards to eats, "Bully Beef" and "hard tack" Uncle Sam's Boys' ration, while on the march. No doubt you all wonder why Mr. Hoover is so persistent about his meat and wheatless days, I am glad to say we benefit by it, and also observe these days too.

I am proud to say, our section is to receive the army citation of the cross de guerre, for our service, we prepared on the active sector of which no doubt you have read.

Talking of reading matter, I sure would enjoy a few copies of some current magazine, they would help to while away the few idle moments I get before taps.

I will close now with hopes of hearing from you again in the near future. With my best regards.

Sincerely Yours,

William Schwing,

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France.

Lawrence Cowgur has written to his uncle, Samuel Darley, an interesting letter describing his trip to camp at Laredo, Texas.

We quote in part:

"We arrived at Jefferson Barracks at about 4 p. m. the same day and were assigned to tents and given blankets and the next morning we went thru an examination that sure was — went thru the hands of about 50 M. D's, more or less. It took 5 or 6 hours and we came out fully equipped as to our summer clothes, no other paraphernalia. It was certainly an experience to be remembered. I don't think any of the Jacksonville boys were rejected, but I think one or two are at the Barracks yet. All the rest of them are here, but some are assigned to a different Battalion. We get to see them at the canteen in the Y. so it isn't so bad. Practically together. They seem to be in good health and spirits, and as for myself I have an awful appetite. I seem to nearly starve in between meals—good meals, too—plain, but well cooked, and always plenty of it. They impress it on a person to keep coming back until he gets plenty. You see we form a line and go by with our mess kits for filling. Then after "chow" we form another line and wash our mess kits for the next chow.

It is hot here, but there is always a breeze at night and one can always sleep. In fact I have not noticed the heat here as much as I did in St. Louis. It may be that it was warmer there than it is now or it may be in account of the dampness there.

We haven't done much real training. Just been out in the field 2 or 3 times and today we took a short hike. It may have been 2 1/2 or 3 miles, some said it was seven but if it was I could have made 15 or 20 easily. We have a nice bunch of fellows here and the officers are fine patient fellows, always helpful and willing to answer questions. It must be very trying for them. I will be glad when we get to going so that we can see that we are getting somewhere. It is very inter-

esting and I like it fine so far. The officers say I will like it better when I get more accustomed to it.

This is surely some country down here. It seemed to get drier and sandier the further south we came. We had a pretty nice trip even tho it took 49 hours in a day coach with 3 of us to each two seats. We got out at places for exercise, first at Fine Bluff, Ark., and then at Texarkana on the line. The latter seemed to be a fine town, but the other, as the name implies, was rather hilly. We came thru San Antonio on the I. and G. N., which runs right alongside Kelly Field. Some field, too!

Just before we got to the town we came to a captive balloon staked out. It was certainly a big one. That was about 7 miles the other side of San Antonio and Kelly Field is about 7 miles this side. We were there 15 or 20 minutes. Airplanes were flying around like overgrown buzzards. One came over the train about 150 or 200 feet up going about 55 or 60 miles an hour, and they were flying all around there. Seven of them were doing some formation drills that were certainly fine. The sights there were sure interesting, but the rest of the trip was mostly humdrum.

The crops are well advanced here. The corn, where there is any, is shooting. Saw lots of cotton and there were black, white and Mexican women tending it with hoes. It was just at the chopping stage. I saw lots of last year's cotton crop upon the platforms alongside the track in bales. I say platforms, but I suppose they call them warehouses. They had a roof over them and woven wire sides. Well, so much for the trip.

Now as to routine I don't know yet just what is regular, but we have been going out to the training grounds in the morning and have been having lectures in the afternoon. They only work us about 45 minutes and then we rest 10 or 15 minutes and the officers give us instructions while we rest. They say we will get 8 hours at drill when we get hardened to it, but we are only getting 2 1/2 or 3 hours now. I suppose it will gradually increase until we get the full 8 hours.

As to quarters, we are in a frame building about 28 feet wide and probably 200 feet long. Each man has his own cot or bunk which he is supposed to keep clean also the floor around it. We are very comfortably quartered.

The Y. M. C. A. is sure doing good work. They have a lecture or moving pictures every evening, and a piano that the boys can play at any other time. Also checker boards and other games. On the sides of the building they have a row of desks, pens and ink and at the counter at one end they sell stamps and post cards and furnish paper and envelopes free. It is always crowded. I have been over several times but have not stayed long on account of the push.

The canteen sells soap, toilet articles and such things at reasonable prices. They also sell ice cream cones, soft drinks, cookies candy and such stuff. They seem to be busy all the time. Have

been lined up 2 and 3 deep around the counters every time I have been there, so they are getting their share of the soldiers' money alright. As we are in quarantine this is about the only outlet. I haven't been to town yet so don't know much about it. I suppose we will not get to town for a week or so yet, but have been too busy to care much about it.

Private Laurence E. Cowgur, 5th Rec. Co., 2nd Battalion, Laredo, Texas.

BELIEVE RUSSIA WILL AGAIN AID ALLIES.

Darby, Pa., May — First Lieutenant J. A. Youngblood and Second Lieutenant Richard D. Reese, of this town, who went to Russia almost a year ago as part of the Russian railway service detachment of the United States Engineers, and who have just returned to their homes by way of Japan, both declared they believe Russia will become again an efficient aid to the Allies.

PUBLIC BATHS PUT TO NEW USE

London, England. All the public swimming pools and some of the public baths in London are to be closed for the summer. The buildings are being used for commercial kitchens. With their steam plants and heating appliances, they are very adaptable for the purpose of establishing in them the central municipal kitchens from which food is distributed to the smaller stations in their districts.



Our boys are distinguishing themselves by their cleanliness and jovial spirits at the front. They believe that "cleanliness is next to Godliness."

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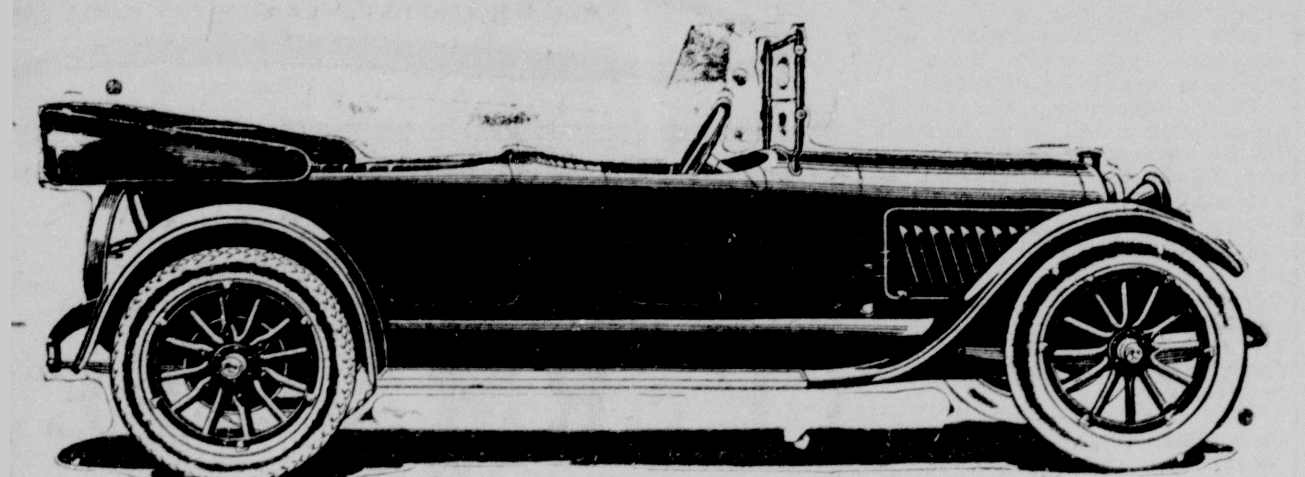
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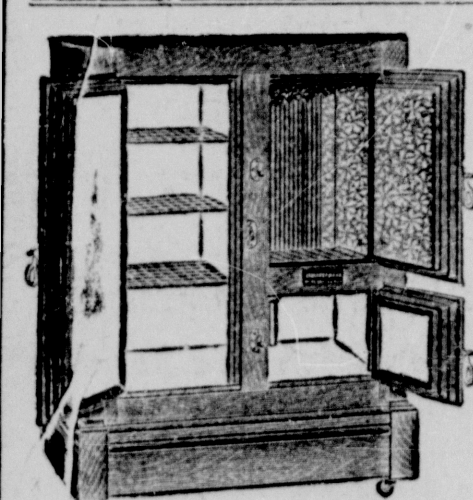
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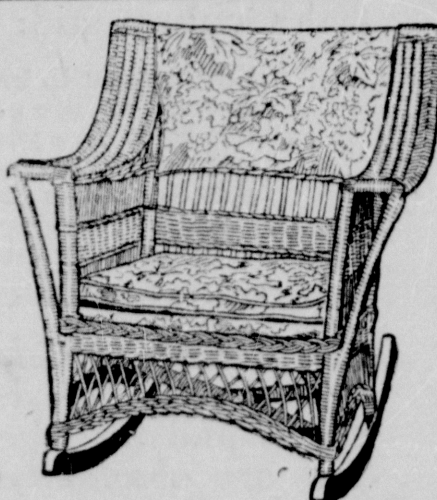


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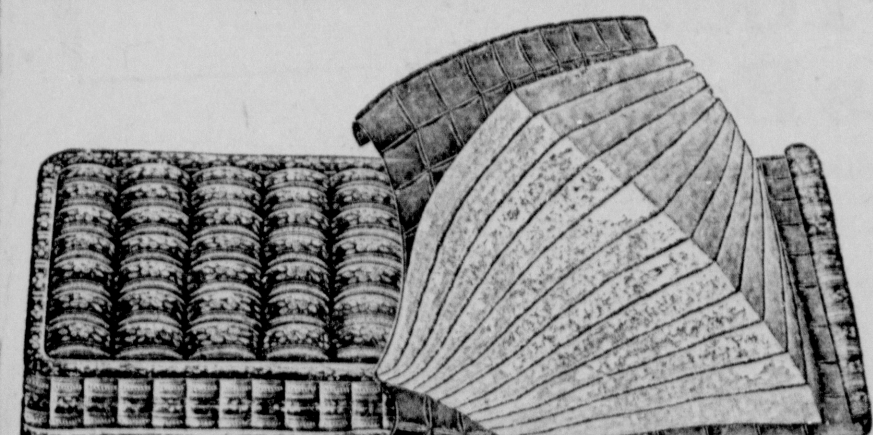
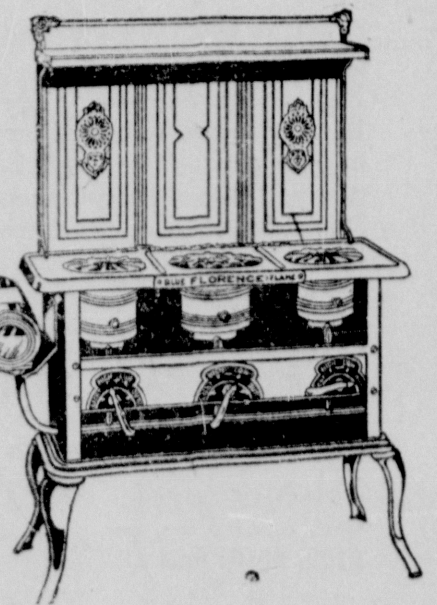
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Games.

Chicago, June 11.—Chicago celebrated flag raising day today by defeating Boston 4 to 1. The locals hunched hits off Jones and won easily. Faber, who enlisted in the navy and expects to report to the great lakes naval training station Friday was on the mound for Chicago and pitched in fine

form. He was given sensational support in the pinches, catches by Murphy and Felsch being features. A new service flag bearing thirteen stars also was raised.

Score: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Boston: Hooper, rf. 3 1 1 3 0 0
Shean, 2b. 3 0 1 12 4 0
Strunk, cf. 3 0 1 1 0 0
Ruth, lf. 4 0 0 5 1 0
McInnis, 1b. 4 0 0 8 1 0
Thomas, 3b. 4 0 1 1 3 0
Scott, ss. 4 0 1 3 2 0
Agnew, c. 3 0 2 0 1 0
McCabe, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0
Jones, p. 2 0 0 1 0 0
Schang, c. 1 0 0 0 0 0
Truesdale, *. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals . . . 32 1 7 24 12 0
*batted for McCabe in 9th.
Chicago: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Leibold, lf. 3 1 2 1 0 0
Murphy, rf. 4 0 1 0 4 0
F. Collins, 2b. 3 0 2 4 3 0
Felsch, cf. 4 0 0 2 3 0
Weaver, ss. 3 0 1 0 4 1
Gandil, 1b. 4 0 1 12 0 0
Risberg, 3b. 3 1 0 1 1 0
Schalk, c. 3 2 1 3 1 0
Faber, p. 2 0 0 0 1 0

Totals . . . 29 4 7 27 10 1
Score by innings:
Boston . . . 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1
Chicago . . . 0 0 0 0 1 0 3 0 x—4
Summary:
Two base hits—Hooper, Schalk.
Stolen bases—Leibold 2; E. Col-
lin. Weaver, Sacrifice hit—Shean.
Sacrifice fly—Strunk. Hits—off
Jones 6 in 7; off McCabe 1 in 1
inning; off Faber 7 in 9. Struck-
out by Faber 2. Wild pitches—
Jones, Faber. Winning pitcher—
Faber. Losing pitcher—Jones.
Cleveland Wins Twelve Inning
Game.

Cleveland, O., June 11.—Cleveland defeated New York today 4 to 3 in twelve innings. Bagby held New York shutout until the ninth when a pass and five hits tied the score. Pipp was put out of the game by Umpire Nallin in the ninth for protesting a decision.

Score:
New York: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Gilhooley, rf. 6 0 1 0 0 0
Peckpaugh ss. 5 1 1 2 7 0
Baker, 3b. 5 1 1 2 3 0
Pratt, 2b. 4 0 1 12 2 0
Ward, 1b. 4 0 1 0 0 0
Pipp, 1b. 4 0 2 8 0 0
Beck, 1b. 1 0 0 6 1 0
Bodie, lf. 4 0 2 4 0 0
Marsons, cf. 5 0 2 2 1 0
Walters, c. 4 0 2 5 1 0
Caldwell, p. 5 0 0 2 3 1
Russell, **. 0 1 0 0 0 0

Totals . . . 44 3 12 34 18 1
*one out when winning run was scored.
**ran for Pratt in 9th.

Cleveland: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Evans, 3b. 3 0 0 0 4 0
Turner, 3b. 1 0 0 1 0 0
Chapman, ss. 4 1 1 6 0 0
Spencer, cf. 4 1 1 6 2 0
Wambush, 2b. 6 0 1 8 6 1
Roth, rf. 4 1 2 0 0 0
Wood, lf. 4 1 0 1 0 0
Miller, 1b. 5 0 2 13 0 1
Thomas, c. 5 0 2 1 2 0
Bagby, p. 5 0 2 0 4 0
Graney, *. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals . . . 42 4 11 36 24 2
*batted for Evans in 9th.
Score by innings:
New York . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3
Cleveland . . . 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 1—4

Summary:
Two base hits—Baker, Gil-
hooley. Three base hits—Roth.
Stolen bases—Chapman, Roth.
Sacrifice hits—Speaker, Sacrifice
fly—Bodie. Double plays—Pratt,
Peckpaugh, Pipp; Pipp (unas-
sisted); Bagby, Chapman, Miller.
Left on bases—New York 9;
Cleveland 11. First base on errors—
New York 2; Cleveland 1.
Bases on balls—off Caldwell 6;
Bagby 3. Struckout—by Cald-
well.

Philadelphia Wins, 8 to 1.
Detroit, June 11.—Pounding
Cunningham and Carroll Jones
for sixteen hits and aided by four
errors, Philadelphia won from Det-
roit 8 to 1 today. Burns got
three singles, a double and a
triple in five times at bat.
Score:
Philadelphia, 321 001 001—8 16 1
Detroit . . . 000 000 010—1 6 4
Batteries—Adams and Perkins;
Cunningham, C. Jones, Dyer and
Spencer.

Washington, 2; St. Louis, 4.
St. Louis, Mo., June 11.—Shaw,
who pitched seven innings of yester-
day's 14-inning contest came
back today and outpitched Daven-
port but owing to the poor sup-
port given him, Washington lost
to St. Louis 4 to 2.
Score:
Washington 001 100 000—2 7 2
St. Louis . . . 003 000 10x—4 5 6
Batteries—Shaw and Almsmith;
Davenport and Hale.

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WRITE A LETTER.

Write a letter to a soldier when
you haven't much to do; it will
brave some homesick fellow who
is feeling pretty blue. Oh, our
boys are lion-hearted, and they'll
whip their weight in snakes, but
they have their lonesome moments
when their hearts are full of
aches; there are hours when they
are longing for the homes so far
away, and the girls they left be-
hind them, and the parents old
and gray; and a letter full of sun-
shine makes their melancholy
wink—therefore get your pen in
action, with a demijohn of love
in the background. Write a letter to a soldier, full of
cheerfulness and joy; let the sob
stuff go to thunder—it won't help
a lonesome boy. Tell the soldier
you are betting he will make the
Teuton fly, tell him all is punky-
dory, and the goose is hanging
high. Tell him all his friends are
banking on the big things he'll
achieve, let him know he's not for-
gotten since he took his final
leave. Write a letter to a soldier
ere you go to bed tonight; some
poor chap is tired of waiting for
the letter you don't write. It
will take you fifteen minutes such
a letter to compose, and you'll
hearten up a soldier when he's
billed to face the foe. Make it
bright and brave and breezy, full
of courage, smiles and snap, show
the confidence you're feeling in
the outcome of the scrap, and
some soldier boy will bless you
as he takes his little gun, and
prepares to shoot the gizzard from
a lewd, immoral Hun.

FAMOUS BAVARIAN
KILLED IN BATTLE

Amsterdam, June.—Count Kas-
par Preysing, 33 years old, head
of one of the most ancient Bavar-
ian families, has been killed in the
western front. The Count, de-
spite his comparative youth, was
regarded as the leader of the
Fatherland party in Bavaria. He
won fame as a military man in the
Turco-Balkay war, when as a
volunteer in the Turkish army he
acted as dispatch-rider under
heavy fire along the Tchatalja
lines. In the present war he has
figured as a dashing cavalry lead-
er on several fronts.

HOW THEY STAND

American League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	20	22	.460
New York	27	20	.574
Chicago	24	19	.558
Cleveland	26	24	.520
St. Louis	22	23	.489
Washington	24	26	.480
Philadelphia	18	27	.400
Detroit	15	27	.357

National League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	31	12	.721
New York	29	15	.659
Pittsburgh	20	23	.465
Boston	20	25	.444
Mann, lf.	18	25	.419
St. Louis	18	25	.419
Brooklyn	17	28	.378

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League			
New York, 3; Cleveland, 4.			
Philadelphia, 8; Detroit, 1.			
Washington, 2; St. Louis, 4.			
Boston, 1; Chicago, 0.			

National League			
Cincinnati-Brooklyn; rain.			
St. Louis-Philadelphia; rain.			
Chicago, 5; New York, 3.			
Pittsburgh, 3; Boston, 2.			

American Association			
St. Paul, 6; Louisville, 2.			
Minneapolis, 1; Columbus, 4.			
Milwaukee, 2; Indianapolis, 4.			
Kansas City, 5; Toledo, 6.			

WHERE THEY PLAY
TODAY

American League			
Boston at Chicago.			
New York at Cleveland.			
Philadelphia at Detroit.			
Washington at St. Louis.			

National League			
St. Louis at Philadelphia.			
Chicago at New York.			
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.			
Pittsburgh at Boston.			

TO GREATLY INCREASE
SIZE OF CAMP TAYLOR

Kentucky Cantonment May Be-
come Largest in Country if the
Present Plans are Carried to
Maturity—Many Recruits Re-
cently Received.

Camp Zachary Taylor, Ky.,
June.—Upon the decision of the
General Staff at Washington, de-
pends the question as to whether
Camp Zachary Taylor, Louisville,
a National Army cantonment of
large dimensions, sheltering thou-
sands of Indiana, Kentucky and
Southern Illinois selective draft
men, shall become the largest can-
tonment in the country. In the
past two weeks the General Staff
inspected the camp and its auxil-
iary, the artillery range at West
Point, Ky.

These officers, including Brig.
Gen. William J. Snow, Chief of
Artillery in the United States, it
is said, advocated centralizing a
great number of artillery units
for training at the Camp and at
West Point. Tentative plans call
for the erection of barracks at
the latter place sufficient to ac-
commodate six regiments of ar-
tillery—10,000 men. These ar-
tillerymen, it is intended, will
move to the range soon after the
84th (Lincoln) Division departs
for Camp Sherman, Chillicothe,
O. The tented camp at West Point
now covers a regiment and a bat-
talion of artillery, but enough can-
vass will be pitched to provide for
the six regiments until barracks
shall be erected before fall.

Altho no official announcement
has been made, it is the general
opinion here that the future pop-
ulation of the camp and range will
be made up largely of artillery
units. Should these plans mature,
the strength of Camp Zachary
Taylor and the range will total
about 55,000 soldiers. The capa-
city of the cantonment now is es-
timated at 45,000.

The proposed enlargement will
necessitate the extension of the
Remount Depot. Capt. H. L. Har-
ris, the commander, must handle
more than 20,000 animals instead
of 11,000 for a division, and he
is seeking large tracts of pas-
ture. Officers and men at the
Remount station are at present
charged with the care of 5,200
horses and mules and approxi-
mately 4,000 more will be added
to their protection when the Divi-
sion departs.

It has been learned recently
that Camp Zachary Taylor has re-
ceived 77,000 recruits into the
National Army, 3,000 were reject-
ed because of physical defects,
and more than 30,000 trained
soldiers have been sent to other
organizations and camps. A great
number of these are now members
of the American Expeditionary
Forces in France.

NOTICE TO ODDFELLOWS

All I. O. O. F. No. 4 and
visiting brethren will meet
at Odd Fellows Temple on
East State street, Wednes-
day at 2 p. m., to attend H.
H. Knollenberg's funeral.
Joseph Ludwig, Noble Grand
Thoms Harber, Sec.

CUBS INCREASE LEAD
BY GAME AND HALF

Defeat New York 5 to 3 for Their
Straight Game—Pitts-
burgh Beats Boston—Other
National Games Postponed.

New York, June 11.—Chicago
won its ninth straight game here
today, defeating New York 5 to 3.
Causery, a young local pitcher,
after holding Chicago to one hit
in five innings weakened in the
ninth when the Cubs scored.

Score:
Chicago: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Flack, rf. 3 1 0 2 0 0
Hollocher ss. 4 0 0 3 5 0
Mann, lf. 3 1 2 2 0 0
Merkle, 1b. 4 0 2 14 0 0
Paskert, cf. 3 1 1 1 0 0
Deal, 3b. 3 1 1 1 0 0
Zelder, 2b. 3 1 0 2 5 1
Killifer, c. 3 0 1 3 2 0
Hendrix, p. 3 0 0 3 1 0

Totals . . . 25 5 7 27 14 1
New York: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Young, rf. 2b. 4 0 0 4 2 0
Kauff, cf. 4 0 1 0 0 1
Burns, lf. 3 2 1 2 0 0
Zimman, 3b. 4 0 1 1 6 0
Fletcher ss. 4 1 2 2 7 0
Holke, 1b. 4 0 1 12 0 0
McCarthy, c. 4 0 1 5 2 0
Georges, 2b. 1 0 0 1 0 0
Willie, rf. 3 0 0 0 0 0
Tesreau, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0
Anderson, p. 0 0 0 0 1 0
Thorpe, x. 1 0 1 0 0 0
Causery, p. 2 0 0 0 3 0
Rariden, xx. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals . . . 35 3 8 27 22 1
X—Batted for Anderson in
3rd.

XX—Batted for Causery in 9th.
Chicago 002 000 003—5
New York 100 100 010—3
Two base hits—Kauff, Merkle.
Deal, Stolen bases—Burns, Zim-
merman, Paskert. Sacrifice hits
—Paskert, Killifer, Deal. Left
on bases—New York 6; Chicago
4. First base on errors—New
York 1. Bases on balls—off
Tesreau; 3; Causery 1; Hendrix
1. Hits—off Tesreau 1 in 2;
1-3 innings; Anderson 1 in 2;
Causery 5 in 6. Struckout—by
Tesreau 1; Causery 2; Hendrix
3. Wild pitch—Anderson. Los-
ing pitcher—Causery.

SIXTEEN INNING GAME.

Boston, June 11.—Pittsburgh
took Boston's place at the bottom
of the first division today by de-
feating the home team 2 to 2 in
16 innings. Sanders was hit
harder than Hearn but the vic-
ing pitcher was invincible in the
pinches and allowed only one
hit in the last eight innings.

Pittsburgh: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Caton, ss. 5 1 1 5 5 0
Carey, cf. 6 0 0 7 1 0
Cutshaw, 2b. 6 0 2 1 7 1
Hinmann rf. 4 0 1 2 0 0
Bigbee, rf. 0 0 0 0 0 0
King, lf. 5 0 0 1 0 0
Mollwitz, 1b. 6 2 5 23 1 0
McKichin, 3b. 5 0 1 2 4 0
Archer, c. 3 0 1 4 3 0
Schmidt, c. 2 0 0 3 2 0
Sanders, p. 4 0 0 0 8 1

Totals . . . 46 3 2 48 31 3
Boston: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Rawlings, ss. 6 0 3 2 3 1
Herzog, 2b. 6 0 0 10 5 0
Powell, cf. 7 0 1 5 0 0
Wickland rf. 6 1 2 1 0 0
J.C. Smith 3b. 4 1 0 2 5 1
Konetchy, 1b. 5 0 3 21 2 0
Reh, lf. 6 0 0 3 0 0
Wilson, c. 5 0 1 4 3 0
Hearne, p. 6 0 1 0 7 0
Massey, z. 1 0 0 0 0 0
Conway, zz. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals . . . 53 2 11 48 30 2
Z—Batted for Reh in 16th.
ZZ—Batted for Hearn in 16th.

Pittsburgh
000 000 110 000 000 1—3
Boston—
000 002 000 000 000 0—2
Two base hits—Konetchy.
Three base hits—Wickland.
Rawlings, Konetchy. Stolen
bases—Wilson. Sacrifice hits
McKichin, Carey, Schmidt,
Caton, Konetchy (2); Herzog.
Sacrifice—Sanders. Double
plays—Carey-Archer; Rawlings-
Herzog-Konetchy (2). Left
on bases—Pittsburgh 5; Boston 13.
First base on errors—Pittsburgh
2; Boston 2. Bases on balls—off
Sanders 7; off Hearn 5. Struck-
out by Sanders 5; Hearn 3.

CROSS ROADS

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Watson
attended an entertainment at
Winchester Friday evening.

Mrs. Wright and daughter
Lou Emma of Marysville were
week end guests of Clarence
Sheppard and family.

Mrs. Joseph Megginson and
children visited with Mrs. Hel-
lowell and family Wednesday.

Miss Hazel Watson visited last
week with her aunt Mrs. E. D.
Hembrough of Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reynolds
and family spent Sunday with
Mr. and Mrs. Will Hembrough.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Meckin-
sion and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tay-
man and son Watson, were Sun-
day guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.
W. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hembrough
and son and Mr. and Mrs. L. R.
Watson motored to Springfield
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor and
nephew, Carl Unglaub of Ha-
vana spent Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. George Megginson.

Ray Sheppard has been on the
sick list the past week but is
somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vasey
and children visited Sunday with
Thomas Young and family.

YATESVILLE

Walt Hardy and wife motored
to Jacksonville Sunday.

Pearl Drake, from near Ash-
land visited last week with Edith
Yancy.

Mrs. Samuel McCaully and
children from Chatham are vis-
iting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Wood.

Henry Yancy and daughter
Edith, Pearl Drake and Mrs.
Dollie Means motored to Jack-
sonville Saturday.

Mike Cashin and family
spent Sunday in Ashland at
Mart Decker's.

Henry Means and wife and
granddaughter visited Mart
Means Sunday, near S'clair.

ASBURY AID DINNER
WAS WELL ATTENDED

Was Held at Home of Mr. and
Mrs. George McKean—So-
ciety Voted to Purchase \$100
Worth of War Savings Stamps.

Nearly sixty five people at-
tended the Asbury Aid Society
dinner given at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. George McKean last
Thursday. The society voted to
buy one hundred dollars worth
of War Savings Stamps. The
guests present were Mrs. William
Mortimer and daughter, Mrs.
Mrs. Francis McKean, Mr. and
Mrs. George Megginson and
Miss Hazel Green of Woodson;
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Green, Mrs.
George Hembrough and daugh-
ter, Marie; Misses Sarah Reece,
Iva Green, Helen Richardson,
Ellen Cully, Mildred Morris, Mae
Deal, W. A. Reed, L. A. Reed,
Everett Reynolds, T. S. Hem-
brough, W. E. Barrows, Carl
Hembrough, George Newman
and Henry Reece.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Meggin-
son and children Howard and
Rowena, Mr. and Mrs. George
Megginson and son Charles Wil-
liam and R. W. Megginson were
Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs.
George Hembrough.

Mrs. Thursby of Franklin
spent Thursday with Mrs. Frank
Hembrough.

Mrs. J. D. Hembrough and
daughter Anah were Thursday
guests of Mrs. W. E. Reynolds.

Carl Hembrough was a busi-
ness visitor in St. Louis Saturday
in the evening he drove home a
new Ford for C. N. Priest, of
Jacksonville.

Mrs. William Mortimer and
son Earl, Mr. and Mrs. W. E.
Barrows, Mr. and Mrs. A. B.
Green and daughter Munnie, Mr.
and Mrs. Carl Hembrough and
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reed at-
tended the funeral of Iven Wood
in Pisgah.

Mrs. George Hembrough, Mrs.
Carl Hembrough, Mrs. Joseph
Megginson and Mrs. George
Megginson attended the C. W. B.
M. social given at the home of
Mrs. Louella Henry south of
Woodson Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Craig and
children Brenda and Delos spent
Sunday with friends west of
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James Ford of Greenfield are
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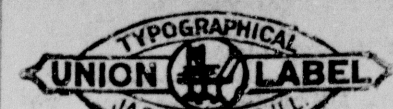
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daily except Sunday. 1:30 p. m.
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No. 17 arrives from St. Louis
daily except Sunday. 4:36 p. m.
No. 17 Chicago-Perla. Ex. 4:36 p. m.
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No. 17 Alton-Chicago, 4:36 p. m.
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No. 18 arrives from St. Louis
daily except Sunday. 8:56 p. m.
No. 18 Chicago-Perla. Ex. 8:56 p. m.
daily
No. 18 Alton-Chicago, 8:56 p. m.
No. 18 Chicago-Alton, 8:56 p. m.
No. 18 Alton-Chicago, 8:56 p. m.
No. 18 Chicago-Alton, 8:56 p. m.

Looking Ahead
JUNE 12—Annual Commencement at
Illinois College; address by the Rev-
erend Charles F. Wishart, D. D.
Second Presbyterian Church, Chi-
cago. Alumni Luncheon; Fiftieth
Anniversary Reunion of Class of '68.
Class League Banquets.



OMNIBUS

WANTED
WANTED—Light hogs. Bell phone
27-11. Illinois 611.
WANTED—Second hand cook stove
and refrigerator. Call Illinois 1069.
6-11-18.
WANTED—5 passenger touring car
must be in good condition and
cheap. 369 North Fayette. 6-12-18

WANTED—Cleaning and pressing la-
diest and gentlemen's clothes at Grand
Parlour, 216 East Court, Ill.
John Lynch. 6-11-18mo.
WANTED—All who owe me to call
and pay same. B. H. McCarty, Wat-
kins salesman. 6-8-18.

WANTED—Position by experienced
stenographer. Expecting to live in
Jacksonville. Address Viva Villa
care Chamber of Commerce, Han-
dual, Mo. 6-11-18

CASH FOR OLD FALSE TEETH—
Don't matter if broken. I pay \$2.00
to \$5.00 per set, also cash for old
gold, silver, platinum, dental gold
and old gold jewelry. Will send
cash by return mail and will hold
goods 10 days for senders approval
of my price. Mail to L. Mazer 297 S.
5th St., Phila., Pa. 6-1-18mo.

HELP WANTED
HELP WANTED—Girls wanted at the
Grand Laundry. 5-21-18.
WANTED—Waiter. Apply 28 N. Side
Square. 6-7-18.
WANTED—Man with small family to
work on farm. Good wages. Ill.
phone 0134. 5-4-18.

WANTED—Girl to do housework.
Apply at 825 West College Avenue.
6-12-18.
WANTED—An office girl, either ex-
perienced or beginner. The John-
ston Agency. 6-9-18.

WANTED—Weavers. Experience not
necessary. Jacksonville Rug Co.,
850 Edgemoor. 6-7-18.
WANTED—Good separator man.
Chilton Corrington, Route No. 3,
Chgo. 6-1-18.

WANTED—Good separator man.
Chilton Corrington, Route No. 3,
Chgo. 6-1-18.
WANTED—Short hours, good
pay, Barr's Laundry. 6-12-18

WANTED—Girl for general house-
work in country. Illinois phone
6121. 6-12-18.
WANTED—Two boys over 16, one to
assist in wash room, one to operate
garment press. Barr's Laundry.
6-12-18

WANTED—Competent girl for general
housework to go north with me for
the summer. Mrs. W. T. Capps, Ill.
W. State. 6-1-18

WANTED—Man who is above a draft
for my business. If you can
give bond it will pay you to look
me up. B. H. McCarty, Watkins.
6-11-18

WANTED—Reliable, conscientious,
accurate, industrious man for gen-
eral office work. Prefer man above
draft age. Answer to Post Office
Box 347, giving telephone number.
6-6-18.

GOVERNMENT NEEDS 20,000 clerks
at Washington. Examinations ev-
erywhere soon. Experience unneces-
sary. Men and women desired. En-
rollment positions write for free par-
ticulars to J. C. Leonard, former
Civil Service Examiner, 456 K
Bldg., Washington. 6-4-18

FOR RENT
FOR RENT—Houses always. The
Johnston Agency. 5-21-18.
FOR RENT—Vehicle storage. Cher-
ry's Annex. 4-3-18

FOR RENT—Modern unfurnished
rooms, 239 E. College Ave. 6-4-18.
FOR RENT—Nicely furnished down-
stairs room with board, 830 W.
State St. 6-5-18

FOR RENT—Modern 7 room house
with garage, 224 E. College Ave.
See Mr. Buffe, Ayers Bank. 6-8-18.
FOR RENT—Furnished front room;
all modern conveniences. 225 South
Church Street. Bell phone 414. 6-6-18

FOR RENT—Two flats 914 West Col-
lege avenue; residence No. 236 South
Diamond. John Cherry, both phones.
6-1-18

FOR RENT—Unfurnished 4 room
apartment on Prospect St. Address
"Apartment" care Journal. 6-7-18.
FOR RENT—Four rooms and bath;
also large sleeping porch, strictly
modern. 239 Prospect St. Call Illi-
nois phone 6-5-18.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Household goods, 725 N.
Fayette St. 6-9-18.
FOR SALE—Collie pups. Call Bell
phone 2412 Alexander or call
Harry Wilson, Prentice, Ill. 6-12-18

FOR SALE—Ice cream wagon, bells
and dipper. \$15.00. 1066 North Fay-
ette St. 6-12-18
FOR SALE—Modern 8 room house
close to school. Call 9824.
quick sale \$2000, easy terms. Rod-
gan and Ledford. 6-9-18

FOR SALE—Kindling by the load;
fine lot of oak framing lumber for
bridges, barn or other building; also
general black and white siding. 5-19-18.
Johnston Agency.

FOR SALE—The Joseph Baumann
property, 230 E. North St. lot 80x100,
to Madison St. alley on east. House
7 rooms, bath, central heat, in good
repair. Bargain for quick sale. Ad-
dress "House 230" care Journal. 6-9-18

MISCELLANEOUS
MONEY TO LOAN on real estate
security. M. C. Hook & Co.
6-8-18.
GARDEN To Let on shares to re-
sponsible party. 1122 W. State St.
6-5-18

THINKS LEATHER GOODS AND
REPAIRING. Harney's Leather
Goods Store, 915 West Morgan
Street. 5-22-18

MONEY TO LOAN ALWAYS—The
Johnston Agency. 6-1-18

BUICK TAXI—Country trips a spec-
tacular. Rates by day, trip or mile.
Call Illinois phone 388. 6-12-18

WALL PAPER \$4 a roll up. F. L.
Smith, 124 East Morton avenue.
phone 1522. 6-30-18

CALL WOOD'S for taxi for clubs,
parties and trains; baggage trans-
fer; auto for country trips. Either
phone 174. Office 210 East Court
Street. 5-17-18

SUMMER RESORTS—Matanza Beach
now open, hotel and furnished cot-
tages by the lake; boating, bath-
ing, fishing and dancing. S. E.
Morris, Havana, Ill. 6-7-18

SERVICE FLAOS—Sik with embroide-
ried stars, \$1.75. Flags made to or-
der for lodges, schools, etc. We
make napkins, etc. Singer Co., 214
South Sandy St., Ill. phone 134. 6-1-18

THE LITTLE WELL KNOWN chim-
ney sweep. Expert. 337 East 1st.
Now is the time to clean chimneys
and furnaces. Saves money. Nine-
teen of sixties caused by chim-
neys and furnaces. If wanted call
William Reedling, 621 N. Main. 6-6-18

LOST and FOUND
LOST—Diamond. Reward of \$50. Re-
turn to J. W. Woods. 6-3-18

TAKEN UP—Four calves. Owner
can have same by paying for ad-
vertisement and feed calling Illi-
nois phone 0294. 6-11-18

FOUND—Near Pacific hotel a gold
cuff link. Owner can have same by
calling at hotel office and paying
for advertisement. 6-12-18

LOST—A ten and a one dollar bill,
Saturday night between Myers Bros.
and Hoppers' Shoe store. Reward
for return to John. 6-12-18

ANNOUNCEMENTS
FOR SHERIFF.
I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Republican nomination
for sheriff, subject to the decision of
the primaries to be held Wednesday,
September 11, 1918.
W. H. Weatherford.

I hereby announce myself as a can-
didate for the Republican nomination
for sheriff, subject to the primary
election.
George L. Stice.

ILLINOIS CROP OUTLOOK

MOST SATISFACTORY
According to Report of S. D.
Fessenden, Field Agent for Illi-
nois in Bureau of Crop Esti-
mates—Details for More Im-
portant Crops.

Bloomington, June 11.—A re-
port, issued by S. D. Fessenden,
Field Agent for Illinois in the
Bureau of Crop Estimates shows
the crop conditions for the State
of Illinois and for the Govern-
ment Crop Report of the 7th inst.

Mr. Fessenden says:
Agricultural conditions in this
State could hardly be improved.
All small grains are looking fair-
ly well, and very little trouble is re-
ported from any section. Large
yields appear to be almost cer-
tain. Winter wheat is heading
out rapidly and its condition is
high. The acreage of spring
wheat has been greatly increased
both in the State and in the
country as a whole and the con-
dition of the plant is high. The
acreage of barley has also been
greatly increased and its condi-
tion is almost perfect. The large
acreage sown to oats in 1917 has
been slightly increased this sea-
son and the condition of the
crop could scarcely be improved
on. The yield growing on the large
acreage sown last fall is in ex-
ceptionally fine shape and the
crop is almost certain to be
large. Corn planting is some-
what backward and considerable
acreage is yet to be put in. The
growing crop is being cultivated
in many places and needs it near-
ly everywhere as weeds are much
in evidence.

Meadows and pastures are
generally in excellent shape. The
stand of clover is the finest seen
for years in Illinois. Some alfalfa
crops in the Colorado River val-
ley are in good condition. In
most sections the first crop is be-
ing cut or ready for it and should
be harvested at once or its
quality may be impaired.

The condition figures for other
crops in Illinois as shown in the
crop report in a per cent of the
normal are as follows: field peas
87 per cent; soybean 88 per cent;
cucumbers 50 per cent; cabbage
93 per cent; onions 96 per cent;
blackberries and raspberries, 80
per cent; watermelons 81 per cent;
cantaloupes 89 per cent
and sugar beets 98 per cent. Of
these, peas, beans, cabbages,
onions, watermelons and beets
show a condition higher than last
year or than the ten year aver-
age, but field peas and sugar
beets are lower than last year
condition lower than last year
or the ten year average.

The condition of apples is 57
per cent of the normal for Illi-
nois which is lower than last
year or than the ten year aver-
age. A fair crop is indicated.
Peaches were generally winter
killed, the condition low (10 per
cent) and but few will be har-
vested in Illinois this year.

The condition of pastures in
Illinois is 99 per cent of the nor-
mal as compared with 86 per
cent in 1917 and 87 per cent, the
ten year average and for the
United States it is 92.5 per cent
compared with 83.8 per cent in
1917 and 89.8 per cent, the ten
year average.

Details for the more impor-
tant crop of the State follow:
Winter Wheat.
Condition—Illinois: 95 per
cent of normal compared with
64 per cent in 1917 and 73 per
cent, the ten year average; Uni-
ted States, 83.8 per cent as com-
pared with 70.9 per cent in 1917
and 80.8, the ten year average.

Production—Illinois: 51,600-
000 bushels as compared with
39,400,000 bushels in 1917 and
38,800,000 bushels the five year
average; United States: 587-
000,000 bushels as compared
with 418,070,000 bushels in
1917 and 552,594,000 bushels,
the five year average.

Oats
Acreage—Illinois: 4,790,000
acres as compared with 4,700-
000 acres in 1917 and 4,342,000
acres, the five year average; Uni-
ted States: 4,500,000 acres as
compared with 4,257,000 acres
in 1917 and 3,945,000 acres the
five year average.

Condition—Illinois: 88 per cent
of normal as compared with 93
per cent in 1917 and 87 per
cent, the ten year average. United
States: 93.2 per cent of normal
as compared with 88.5 per cent
in 1917 and 89.4 per cent, the
ten year average.

Production—Illinois: 193,000-
000 bushels as compared with
244,400,000 bushels in 1917 and
156,074,000 bushels the five
year average; United States:
1,500,000 bushels as compared
with 1,587,000,000 bushels in
1917 and 1,296,406,000 bushels,
the five year average.

Barley
Acreage—Illinois: 97,000
acres as compared with 66,000
acres in 1917 and 56,000 the five
year average; United States:
9,110,000 acres as compared
with 8,835,000 acres in 1917 and
7,600,000 acres the five year av-
erage.

Condition—Illinois: 99 per
cent of normal as compared with
92 per cent in 1917 and 94 per
cent, the ten year average; Uni-
ted States: 90.5 per cent as com-
pared with 83.3 per cent in 1917
and 90.4 per cent, the ten year
average.

Production—Illinois: 3,170-
000 bushels as compared with
2,475,000 bushels in 1917 and
2,716,000 bushels the five year
average; United States: 235-
000,000 bushels in 1917 and
201,625,000, the five year aver-
age.

Rye
Condition—Illinois: 98 per
cent of normal as compared with
87 per cent in 1917 and 83 per
cent, the ten year average; Uni-
ted States 83.6 per cent of nor-
mal as compared with 84.3 in
1917 and 89.6 per cent, the ten
year average.

Production—Illinois: 912,000
bushels as compared with 752-
000 bushels in 1917 and 786-
000 bushels, the five year av-
erage; United States: 81,000,000
bushels as compared with 60-
145,000 bushels in 1917 and 44-
700,000 bushels, the five year av-
erage.

Hay (All.)
Condition—Illinois: 94 per
cent of normal as compared with
77 per cent in 1917 and 82 per
cent the ten year average; Uni-
ted States: 80 per cent of nor-
mal as compared with 85.1 per
cent in 1917 and 88.0 per cent the
ten year average.

Clover Hay
Acreage—Illinois: 701,000
acres as compared with 501,000
acres in 1917; United States:
7,980,000 acres as compared
with 7,609,000 acres in 1917.
Condition—Illinois: 99 per
cent of normal as compared with
76 per cent in 1917 and 83 per
cent, the ten year average; Uni-
ted States: 92.9 per cent of nor-
mal as compared with 82.2
per cent in 1917 and 85.5 per
cent the ten year average.

STOCKS MORE ACTIVE

NEW YORK, June 11.—Trading in
stocks today showed more active
and diversified than in yesterday's
insignificant session but in other es-
sentials the market showed no ma-
terial changes. War news again en-
tered into the calculations but do-
mestic happenings, particularly those
bearing upon industrial conditions
were distinctly encouraging.

Equipment were being by relatively
unimpaired. Steel, iron, copper and
Great Northern Ore, leading
steels making little headway. Popu-
lar industrial kept conditions
limited bonds and shipments were
extremely unstable.

Sales amounted to 375,000 shares.
Domestic bonds were distinctly
heavy, reacting 1 to almost 2 per cent.
Liberty bonds yielded moderate.
Total sales (par value) aggregated
\$4,255,000.

United States bonds (old issues)
were unchanged on call.
NEW YORK STOCK LIST
(Last Call)

American Bond	65
American Can	44 1/2
American S. & R.	75 1/2
Atchafalaya	79 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	84
Bethlehem	84 1/2
Canadian Pacific	146
Central Leather	8 1/2
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	42 1/2
Columbia Gas and Electric	40 1/2
Corn Products	40 1/2
Cumulative Steel	60 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar	30

ITEMS OF INTEREST
FROM MEREDOSIA

Baccalaureate Services for High School Graduates Held at M. E. Church, Sunday Evening—Nesbitt Scott at Indiana Training Camp—Other News Notes.

Meredosia, June 11.—Miss Ruth Ham of Chambersburg was a week end visitor with Miss Naomi McGinnis.

Mrs. Henry of Sparland is visiting her daughter Mrs. W. W. Jarman.

The Methodist Sunday school will give their children's day program Sunday evening June 23.

James Galaway and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Nanes near Jacksonville Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Black of Urbana was the guest of Mrs. Eli Harshman.

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man from Wednesday until Saturday.

Miss Ina Bowling is spending the week visiting friends at Springfield, Pawnee and Litchfield.

Mrs. Eli Harshman accompanied by Mrs. J. L. Black visited Adams county friends Friday.

E. A. Hopper of Bluffs was a visitor here Saturday.

Miss Marguerite McLain is assisting with the book work at the Farmers & Traders Bank this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Berger, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Yost and three sons motored to Jacksonville Sunday afternoon.

Miss Nelle Ritscher of Springfield was the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ritscher Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Cody, son Willard and daughter, Frances, were the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Cody and family Sunday.

Richard and Nina Pond of Chapin were visiting friends here Sunday.

H. L. Lake of Chicago spent Sunday and Monday with his wife and daughter in this city.

Miss Edith Freeman who has been librarian at the Woman's College at Jacksonville arrived home Saturday for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lefe Moss and three children and Otto Yeckel and Miss Marguerite McLain motored to New Salem Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. William Moss.

The Methodist church in this city has been apportioned \$150 by conference for the War Fund for the church. The pastor, Rev. D. L. Jeffers succeeded Sunday morning in raising \$102 in a very short time from the members that were present at the morning service. Those who were not in attendance will be solicited for the remainder of the amount.

Mrs. J. C. Lewis of Bluffs was attending to business affairs here Saturday.

Charles Kiel visited his daughter Flora at the hospital in Springfield Sunday.



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It contains no opiates, does not upset a delicate stomach, and the last drop in the bottle is just as good as the first.

J. A. OBERMEYER
CITY DRUG STORE

Miss Louise Althorn visited friends Jacksonville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scott have received a letter from their son, Russell, stating that after his enlistment he was sent to a training school at Valparaiso, and is well satisfied with his surroundings.

Horace Jones, Hal Naylor and Delmar Pond who were sent to Ft. Thomas, Ky., a few weeks ago have been transferred to Camp Gordon, Ga. A number of others from the Illinois contingent were transferred also.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Peters, son John, and daughter Josephine were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. Peters' parents at Verdun. Mr. Peters will travel through Indiana for the Jobst-Bethard Grocery Co., of Peoria during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Kratz of Oklawaha are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kratz and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McLain. Royal will leave this month with the four hundred men from this county for service. His wife will remain with her parents here during his absence.

Miss Ruth Scott of Bluffs was the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Scott Sunday.

The new steamer Columbia will give a moonlight excursion Tuesday evening, June 18th. The boat will leave here at 8:45 p. m. and return from Griggsville landing at 12 m.

Misses Hattie Hillig, Bertha Christian and Dorothy Hamman departed Friday on the Steamer Golden Eagle for St. Louis to visit relatives.

Misses Vera Hale and Gwendolyn Berger went to Carthage Friday to visit Misses Louise and Leda Luginbuhl.

Mrs. William Green of Warsaw has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Manley VanHining.

J. E. Hale and family were Jacksonville visitors Friday.

Mrs. Mollie Wackerle is spending the week with her brother at Pavia.

T. W. Burdick and wife were Jacksonville visitors Saturday.

C. P. Hedrick was a business visitor in Springfield Saturday.

Miss Gladys Vanderlip went to Jacksonville Saturday to accompany Mrs. William Allen home from Passavant hospital where she has been for a number of weeks.

F. G. Taggart visited in Valley City from Saturday until Monday.

William Wilday was a Pittsfield visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Wright Ham and baby departed Saturday for a visit with her mother Mrs. Fannie Speelman in Chicago. Mrs. Mary Morris accompanied her as far as Bluffs.

Baccalaureate services for the graduating class of 1918 composed of Kenneth Looman and Merle Hodges were held at the Methodist church Sunday evening. The church was tastefully decorated with ferns, cut flowers and flags. Special musical numbers including an anthem "The Lord Is My Light" and a vocal solo "Beside Still Waters" by Mrs. L. H. Wegscheit, were rendered. The address was given by the pastor, Rev. D. L. Jeffers which subject was "Life". The address was well delivered and showed careful thought and preparation. The Board of Education attended in a body.

Delos James left Monday for Springfield to enlist for service in the navy.

Martin Driscoll spent Sunday with relatives in Griggsville.

Mrs. L. F. Berger departed on the Steamer Golden Eagle for St. Louis to spend the week.

RED CROSS AIDS

SOLDIERS' FAMILIES

Indianapolis, June — Indiana Ohio and Kentucky Red Cross chapters during May gave assistance to 6,399 families of soldiers and sailors according to the May report of James L. Flesher, Lake Division of Civilian Relief, just received here. Of this number, however, there were 1,343 families who received information only. Of the total, 4,238 were those of Ohio men, 1,386 of them Indiana men and 775 of them Kentuckians.

Red Cross Home Service sections in the division spent \$17,338.19 in giving financial assistance to dependent families and in assisting Soldiers and Sailors in emergencies.

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WHITE HALL MAN
WOUNDED IN FRANCE

Father of Dean Raines Receives First Mail Advice of Son's Return—Injury—Letter Delayed in Reaching Destination—Other Greene County News.

White Hall, Ill., June 11.—The first mail advice from Dean Raines, who was injured in France on April 30th, was contained in a letter received Saturday by Rev. J. O. Raines, father of the private. Immediately following the injury, Private Raines was taken to a French hospital for treatment. Here nothing but French was spoken, and it was not until May 9th that an American Red Cross nurse and interpreter reached the French hospital and promptly wrote the letter that has just been received by the parents. The letter is as follows:

May 9, 1918.
Dear Mr. Raines:
Dean was wounded in action in a trench by a shell bursting about sixty yards from him, injuring his left lung. This is a French hospital, and as soon as he is able, Dean will be moved to an American hospital.

Very sincerely,
Dorothy Cheney,
Red Cross Nurse.

It seems that the letter was delayed a week or more at the point of mailing, which accounts partly for its tardiness in reaching the anxious parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Fairbanks and daughter have returned from Indianapolis, where they attended the funeral of their son's brother, Charles W. Fairbanks, former vice president of the United States and who was held in high regard by those who came in intimate touch with the illustrious American on his visits to this county in the interest of the Fairbanks ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dunn are here from Chicago on account of the serious illness of Mr. Dunn's mother, Mrs. Eunice Dunn.

Wayne Knight was brought home from the Jacksonville hospital last week, and is making satisfactory progress in recovery from the injuries received near Carrollton on the 27th ult., when his motorcycle collided with Guy Lowenstein's auto.

Hon. O. C. Sonnemann, of Carlinville, visited White Hall and Roodhouse Friday in the interest of his candidacy for re-election as minority representative in the Illinois legislature from the 38th district.

Dwight Sykes is at home from the University of Illinois for the summer.

C. H. Grimes was down from Kankakee last week.

Dale Hyle resumed his run as Burlington passenger flagman out of Beardstown Sunday, after spending a few days at home.

S. Cropp is making his annual sojourn at Okawville, Ill.

Leroy Richert, sergeant bugler of the 306th Engineers, Camp Sevier, Greenville, S. C., returned to camp today, after being here since Saturday.

F. B. Cain was up from St. Louis last week.

J. H. Piper was in Chicago the latter part of last week.

Miss Evelyn Cheeley has returned to Holbrook, Oregon, having spent a fortnight with White Hall relatives. Her mother was formerly Miss Carrie Hutchinson.

HELP ASKED FOR

MONTENEGRO.

An Urgent Appeal for Funds to Relieve Prisoners of War, and Destitute Refugees is Made by Red Cross.

Few people stop to think that Montenegro is an ally of the United States in the great war. But it is. It is the smallest and the poorest of the Allies, and perhaps has suffered most of all of them, not excepting Belgium or Serbia. The little country was entirely over-run by the German and Austrian Armies and is still under the domination of the Central Powers.

Montenegro fought staunchly with Serbia as long as she could. Many of her soldiers were taken prisoners; many of her people became refugees. Both prisoners and refugees have suffered long and terribly. Refugees and prisoners of other countries have been looked after and cared for. The Montenegrins have been almost forgotten.

There is a special effort under way now to do something in their behalf. The Montenegro Red Cross Relief Fund has been established in London, and voluntary subscriptions are sought in this country. Samuel Insull has been asked by Sir Roper Parkinson, the Montenegro Consul General at London, to give assistance thru a public collection or otherwise. Mr. Insull will receive contributions and forward them. His address is 120 W. Adams street, Chicago. And Americans who have given so much to help other nations are asked to remember that Montenegrin prisoners of war are utterly incapable of helping themselves, and that the refugees of that distressed country are entirely destitute.

Dr. Kenniebrew's office hours: 11 to 12 a. m.; 1:30 to 4 p. m. Evenings and Sundays by appointment.

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Indianapolis, June. — Miss Mary M. Roberts, in charge of the nurse enrolling campaign in the Lake Division of the Red Cross, has issued an appeal to physicians of Indiana, Kentucky, and Ohio to help the recruiting. "The medical profession can render splendid patriotic service," she says, "by encouraging patients to have part time nursing; by releasing office nurses; by advising nurses who go to them for advice, to enroll for active Red Cross service instead of selfishly

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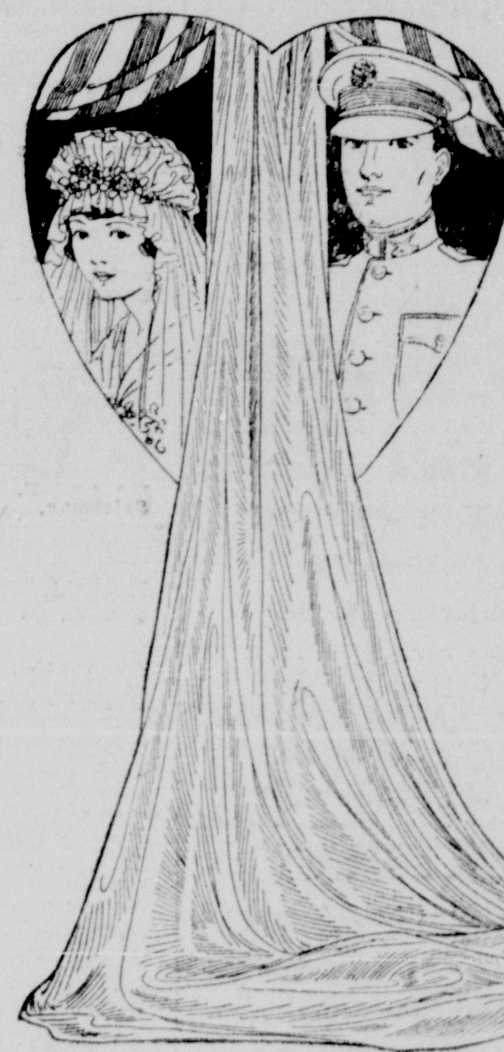
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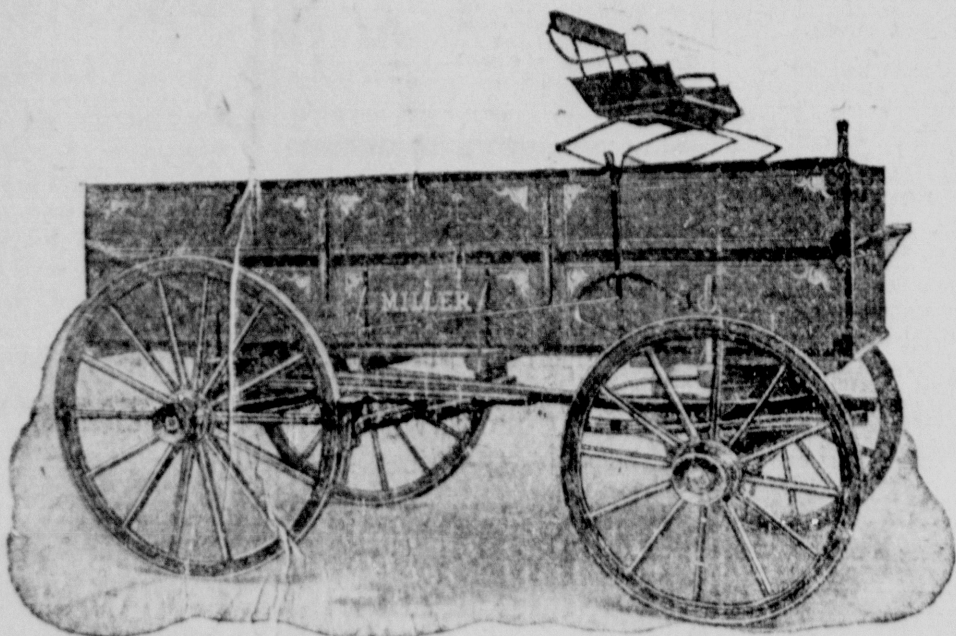
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